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Noted hand surgeon to address Gould grads

By AMY CHAPMAN

The Gould Academy Class of 2002 will receive diplomas Saturday during the school's 166th commencement exercises.

The Rev. Jean Bass will give the invocation, and Dr. Myles Cohen will deliver the keynote address. Valedictorian Caroline Coombs and student speaker Ethan Elliott-Williams will also address their classmates prior to the awarding of honors and diplomas.

Dr. Cohen, a renowned hand surgeon whose practice is at Cedars Sinai Hospital in Los Angeles, is a humanitarian whose talents have had a profound effect on his patients. He has performed surgical miracles for children born with debilitating deformities, and reversed the crippling effects of arthritis on his adult patients.

In the 1990s, when the Soviet Union was ravaging Afghanistan, he traveled to Pakistan to perform surgery on victims of the war, and to teach young Afghanis how to handle basic emergency medical situations. Dr. Cohen is a former trustee of Gould Academy, where his son Jonathan graduated with the Class of 1988.

Coombs, valedictorian of the Class of 2002, is the daughter of David Coombs and Margaret Trahms of Fredericton, New Brunswick. She is a National Honor Society member and a student proctor, and has been a member of Gould's Farm and Forest Program and the cross-country team. She has received acceptances to Bowdoin College and Smith College, and plans to attend college in 2003, following a year of service work in Central America.

Elliott-Williams, the son of Robert Elliott and Patricia Williams of Woodstock, was chosen by his

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Spring finally arrives

Flowers — like these primroses in Bethel — are making a comeback all over Western Maine this week, after a bout of late season cold, snowy weather. The effects of winter's last (we hope) gasp are lingering on Mt. Washington, however, where crews are still at work trying to clear snow from the auto road (see Briefly, page 3).
(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

No forestry violations found in Water District inspection

By REBECCA ZICARELLI

The Maine Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) and Maine Forestry Service inspected the land owned by the Bethel Water District on Tuesday.

The inspection found no significant violations of state forestry regulations. It also found some good logging practices.

The inspection tour was guided by the district's forester, Doug Schneider. Other district personnel included Lucien Roberge, superintendent; Donnie Katlin; Mike Broderick, Water District Trustee; contractor Denny Wilson of D. A. Wilson; Doug Wilson; and logger, Phil Rolfe. Don Feeney, of New England Forestry Consultants, also went on the inspection, and will prepare a report for the district based on his observations.

Four officials from the state went on the tour. Will Cook, of DEP examined the impact the district's

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CORRECTION—Not all land in photograph part of BWD. The caption for last week's front-page photograph incorrectly stated that all the land in the photograph belonged to the Bethel Water District. That is not true. In fact, approximately one-third of the land in the photograph — the land in the lower right, below Chapman Brook — does not belong to, and was not logged by, the district.

The information in the caption was based on tax maps and aerial photographs in the Bethel Town Office. We have since learned from many readers that such maps are unreliable. "Don't buy on them. Don't sell on them," advised one caller.

Lesson learned. The Citizen regrets the error.

The remaining land in last week's photograph, including all the land which drains into Chapman Brook above the reservoir, does belong to the district, as does the land on which all of the other photographs accompanying the article were taken.

Greenwood man compiles Civil War diary

By ALISON ALOISIO

Gary (Butch) Fuller of Greenwood spent the last two and a half years getting to know Otis Perkins of Oxford. Fuller describes him as "very dedicated, and he didn't complain a lot."

Fuller became acquainted with Perkins without ever exchanging a word.

Perkins was a Civil War soldier who left behind a four-year account of his experiences in a diary. Fuller has compiled the diary — spelling errors and all — for publication. Since January, he's sold about 150 copies of his book in the region, and plans to print more.

> **'Battle of bulls run and was repulsed.'**
> PRIVATE OTIS PERKINS, July 21, 1861

Fuller is a Civil War buff who got interested in the subject when he was in his 20s. "I read a book on Andersonville (the Confederate prison) and I was hooked," he said.

He continued to read books about the conflict over the years. Then, about three years ago, he was in the Civil War section of a Lewiston bookstore when a man came up and asked if he was interested in the war.

When Fuller said he was, the other asked him if he would be interested in joining a Maine group taking part in Civil War reenactments.

"I had always thought about it, but never did it," said Fuller. So he joined up with the group of about 80, which represents the 3rd Maine Regiment.

As a member, Fuller also took part in presentations to various historical societies in Maine. After such a presentation in Oxford, two women approached him.

"They said they had their grandfather's diary from the Civil War," he said.

Intrigued, Fuller asked if he might copy it to compile. The granddaughters gave their permission.

Detective work

So he set about trying to decipher and understand the entries of Private Harrison Gray Otis Perkins, a farmer, who enlisted in the 5th Maine Regiment May 6, 1861, at

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Few tools available for grappling with cat problem

By MICHAEL DANIELS

How to deal with nuisance cats, and the sometimes filthy households they call home, is becoming an increasingly frustrating, and even expensive, problem for Bethel officials.

"You've got people whose cats are out of control," Police Chief Darren Tripp told the selectmen Monday evening.

Tripp cited two ongoing "hot spots" in town where large numbers of cats are already nuisances — nuisances with the potential to evolve into health and safety problems.

The police have few tools in dealing with such situations, Tripp said, in large part because of the difficulty of proving ownership of cats, which do not have to be licensed.

In cases where such animals are not being adequately cared for, and where ownership can be established, the owners can be charged with criminal abandonment or cruelty to animals, and the cats

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Local Memorial Day Events

BETHEL—A parade will begin at 11 a.m. on Memorial Day, May 27, at the Civil War monument and proceed up Main Street to the common. The program at the common at 11:15 a.m. is as follows: invocation; the National Anthem; the Gettysburg Address; introduction of Miss Poppy; "In Flanders Field"; music by the Mahoosuc Music Makers; reading of the names of those killed in 20th century wars; a firing squad salute to the dead; taps and a benediction. Boy and Girl Scouts will also participate.

GREENWOOD—At 9 a.m. on Memorial Day, May 27, a parade will step off from the Jackson-Silver Post on the Gore Road, and proceed to the common by the monument in Locke Mills. The parade will be led by Dan Grover, post commander, and the president of the Auxiliary of Post 68. The speaker at the monument will be Rodney Abbott. The parade will then proceed to the cemetery.

EAST BETHEL—A ceremony will take place at the East Bethel Cemetery at 10:45 a.m. on Memorial Day, May 27.

NEWRY—At noon on Sunday, May 26, a ceremony will be held at the Newry Municipal Building. Invocation and prayers will be offered by Pastor Rodney Hanscom. A memorial address by Delma McMillin will follow. A Color Guard will be present for the ceremony. Refreshments will be served at 11 a.m., prior to the ceremony.

WEST PARIS—The May 27 parade schedule is as follows: line up at 10:30 a.m. at the Finnish-American Hall (formerly the Legion Hall) on Maple Street. March time is 11 a.m. — going from Maple Street to the center of town for the salute to the American flag and the "Star Spangled Banner." Proceed to the bridge for a prayer; flowers will be tossed in the river in memory of those lost at sea, followed by a gun salute. Then an about-face and march to the cemetery, where Pastor Lloyd Waterhouse will give the prayer and Bertha DeHaas will give the poem, "Flanders Fields." The legionnaires will recognize the grand marshal, Ted Bradeen, at this time. Pastor Waterhouse will give the Memorial Address; music will be played by the Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School band; taps, members of the band; gun salute, legion members; decorating veterans' graves, auxiliary members; march back to Veteran's Park; prayer, and decorating the monument. All will sing "God Bless America" and then go to the Finnish-American Hall for popsicles. In case of rain this service will be held at West Paris Grange Hall on Church Street.

WOODSTOCK—At 1 p.m. on Memorial Day, May 27, a ceremony, sponsored by the Bryant Pond Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, will be held at the Honor Roll near the Grange Hall. The program will include an address by John Governale, the Gettysburg Address, Logan's Address and music by the Mahoosuc Music Makers. School children will place flags and flowers on the Honor Roll. The parade will leave from the Grange Hall at approximately 1:30 p.m. and travel to the Lakeside Cemetery. A veterans' memorial prayer will be offered, along with taps and a 21-gun salute. Boy Scouts, American Legion and school children are expected to take part. Anyone else interested is welcome to line up in the parade.

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Letters

DID PHOTOG PICK UP THE LITTER?

To the Editor:

I was saddened to see an excellent article about water quality in Bethel ended with a picture of an empty plastic container (nearly empty).

As a native Mainer, when I see a plastic jug laying in the forest on an old job site, and it is very rare these days, I see litter. The Bethel Citizen reporter saw "discarded containers from petroleum products — a serious concern in a drinking water watershed."

How is it a serious concern? For years I have heard eco-freakos wailing and whining about how plastic doesn't break down in the environment for "decades" or possibly even "centuries." If that is true, how can a half inch of oil in a container that will not leak for centuries be a threat to the water? Yes, it is unsightly and, yes, it does violate some laws. So what did the reporter or cameraman do about it?

As a logger who loves the forests of this state, I would have carried the container out of the woods or stored it in the building with the others and told someone at the water district who would have told the present logger to pick them up. Hopefully, the reporter did more than write a story, but please answer truthfully. Did you? If so, good for you. If not, shame on you.

Carroll Murphy
Sweden

Reply: Fair enough question, but to clarify — as noted in the photo credit, the reporter did not take the photograph. The photographer, this writer, opted, with a DEP inspection scheduled for this week, not to alter any of the evidence on the ground. We do understand (see front page story) that since our unannounced visit — and, of course, prior to the DEP inspection — a cleanup was undertaken. —MRD

BETHEL OFFICERS HONORED

To the Editor:

On May 23, Dani Littlehale and Nathan Wight of the Bethel Police Department will travel to Hyannis, Mass., to receive the Emmanuel "Manny" Wilson Memorial Award for their work as undercover operatives during a rave held in Lewiston in 2001. This award is presented by the New England Enforcement Officers' Association but is a nationwide award. Our small town should be very proud that our officers have received this honor.

However, due to the town's "budget constraints," the officers were refused the $107.50 to cover their expenses. This meant that they would not be able to attend nor to receive the award.

I want to publicly thank the following citizens who agreed that these two officers deserved our support and contributed to cover their expenses: Cindy and Bob Blake, Nesta and Richard Littlefield. My husband John and I were also donors.

Susan Wight
Bethel

WATERFORD BENEFIT SOCIAL

To the Editor:

Come one, come all, to an Old-Fashioned Community Social to be held in Waterford on Saturday, June 8, from 11:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. (Rain date: Sunday, June 9.)

The Waterford Congregational Church is sponsoring a fundraiser for APFED (see below) on the church grounds and at the Wilkins Community House on Plummer Hill Road in Waterford Village. Bring your picnic blankets and folding chairs and enjoy the good food, games, music and fun while supporting a worthy cause.

The $7 entry fee ($4 for children under 10, and a maximum family charge of $26) covers the cost of a delicious lunch or supper of barbecued meats (vegetarian options available), delicious salads, chips and cold drinks.

Dance and sing along with the live band, and for a nominal fee you can have your face painted, enter a pie-eating contest, try to Dunk the Minister, pick your favorite flavor at the ice cream booth, test your luck at the raffle, and enjoy a day with family and friends in scenic Waterford Village. For more information, call 583-6266.

APFED stands for American Partnership for Eosinophilic Disorders. Ten-year-old Matt lives in Waterford and suffers from eosinophilic enteropathy, one such disorder. A complex disease in which certain white blood cells (eosinophils) are found in higher-than-normal numbers in the digestive system, it is considered to be an autoimmune condition because the abundance of eosinophils causes the body to attack itself.

For Matt, it has caused such severe damage to his esophagus that he can no longer eat and must get nourishment through a tube that goes directly to his stomach.

Matt's mother, Jacque Fanning, has joined with two other mothers of children with eosinophilic disorders to form a new national organization, APFED. The goal of APFED is to educate people about eosinophilic disorders and to support research into causes, early diagnosis, and cures. For further information about APFED, check out the Web site at www.apfed.org, or call Jacque Fanning at 583-6266

Meg Wheeler
Waterford

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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When writing, please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship).

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OFFICIALS INACTION LEADS TO PET'S DEATH

To the Editor:

Last July, I moved to Woodstock (the town in which I own land and pay taxes) into a studio with my rabbit, Moonflower. Within a few weeks, I discovered that two large dogs roamed at large in the area without supervision.

My landlord said I should call the dog officer about the problem. When the dog officer arrived, he told me that I must provide him with proof; namely photographs of the dogs. I attempted to get photographs but failed to get clear enough ones to use.

Months passed. I had been forced to bring my rabbit indoors in order to protect her from dog perdition. Meanwhile these two dogs continued to roam freely around this property on a daily basis. I could never seem to get a clear picture. When I called the dog officer for the third time he refused to come to the house to see the large dog tracks in my yard. By this time the snow left clear dog prints on the ground around the house. Some of these tracks clearly showed the dogs returning to their home up the hill. When I phoned the dog constable to complain, he told me not to bother him again and to take the issue up with the Woodstock Town Office.

On Dec. 1, I made my first complaint about the dogs directly to the Woodstock Town Office.

In January, I made another complaint to the Woodstock Town Office. Both dogs were still running loose.

One evening in January I saw the two dogs chasing a deer in the yard and called the warden, who came to look at both the deer and large dog prints. It was the first offense, so nothing was done.

In March, I made a third call to the town office to complain. Virtually everyone except the warden declined to look at the dog prints that were in the yard.

That same day I called the police. I was told that this was a civil issue, it was the town's responsibility and it was up to the town to deal with it. It's against the law to have dogs running at large. When the police told me to contact the dog officer I told him he refused to come.

On May 3, I was forced to put my rabbit outdoors in a pen with mesh over the top where I hoped she would be safe. I had another animal that was very ill and could not have the rabbit in the house.

On the morning of May 5 I finally got clear enough pictures to identify the offending dogs and took them to be developed. On May 8, I picked up the pictures. On May 9, I delivered the pictures to the Woodstock Town Office and requested that the matter be taken to court. The same afternoon I received a call from the dog officer, who coldly informed me that the dogs would be leaving in a few weeks and he would not prosecute them.

I made a phone call to the Woodstock Town Office to tell the town manager that I was very unhappy with the outcome of the situation. He told me that there's nothing he can do and that the case would probably be thrown out of court because the property boundaries could not be identified. This latter statement was patently untrue. I explained that I had taken the pictures from a place inside the house, and that the distance between the house and the dogs could be easily identified and paced off. The two dogs were closer than 100 yards away and were in my driveway.

Early this morning, May 10, I heard blood-curdling screams. I raced out the door just in time to witness my rabbit, Mayflower, being brutally murdered by a dog who had broken into her cage. By the time I got to her the dog had ripped open my rabbit's belly and killed her.

If appropriate action had been taken by town officials to pick up the offending animals, even the afternoon before, this tragedy could have been prevented.

Moonflower would have been four years old in August and was my beloved friend and companion.

I called the town office to let them know that their refusal to take action on this matter had been partially responsible for the demise of my rabbit.

Sometime later the dog officer arrived demanding to see the dead rabbit, which I showed him. I was crying. Then he told me that I didn't know which dog had killed my rabbit even after I told him that I saw the dog. I spoke harshly to him and he responded that he was the law. (This is due process?) His parting shot was that I should "go buy another rabbit for $10."

The perpetrators of this tragedy have learned that they don't have to take consequences for their refusal to take this matter seriously. Meanwhile I am left to grieve alone the senseless death of a beloved animal.

Sara Wright
Woodstock

Inspection

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harvesting operations on streams. The Maine Forestry Service was represented by Merle Ring, forester for Oxford County; Dick Morse, the southern field team leader, and Mark Mayhue, a forest ranger. They inspected the forestry practices on the district's land.

The Department of Human Services, which oversees the district's watershed management and water quality, was not represented Tuesday. DHS is expected to conduct its next annual inspection of the district's operations later in the summer.

A number of minor sedimentation issues were found, but none rose to the level of violation. (See Bethel Citizen story of May 16.)

At the reservoir, Will Cook of DEP said a pile of eroded soil should be moved. The soil is next to the dam, below the reservoir. It was put there when the reservoir was last drained and dredged. Cook recommended having a truck available to haul the dredgings off-site during the next cleaning, and removing the pile of previous dredgings at that time.

The erosion on the primary road generated a great deal of debate. Cook pointed out a stream crossing, located near the bottom of the road, where sedimentation into the stream had recently occurred. (The tributary in question enters the brook below the reservoir, and the sediments would not contribute to turbidity in the water system.)

A number of drainage channels had been dug since The Citizen's visit a few weeks ago. The new channels are intended to direct runoff, which had been running down the road, into the buffer strips at the side.

Cook and State Forester Merle Ring, pointed out that water bars were not placed every 100 feet along the road, and that most of the new channels were ineffective and would simply wash away during a heavy rain.

One solution Cook and Ring suggested was to bury a log in the ridge below each channel to hold them in place.

Cook and Ring also recommended that the district adopt a road maintenance plan to address these issues.

Schneider described a number of plans he has recently developed to improve drainage along the road, and said he planned to begin work on the improvements by mid-June to early July. Both DEP and representatives from the forest service will return to review the work after it is completed.

The discarded oil and gas containers pictured in last week's Citizen had been removed before Tuesday's DEP inspection. An oily haze was apparent on standing water in the log yard, near where The Citizen had found oil containers. A Maine forest ranger said it was from decaying slash.

Cook had to leave early for another appointment, and could not do the entire tour.

"I don't see any violations, but I do see some problems," he said. He suggested that it is important for the district to resolve the problems before new regulations that forbid any sedimentation into streams become effective in 2005.

Cook did not inspect the erosion around the bridge near the log yard. The bridge, designed by Denny Wilson, was intended to minimize disturbance to the stream banks during installation. But the fill used around it is loose gravel and is eroding into the brook above the reservoir.

Ring recommended removing the fill and replacing it with a more "boney" material that will be less prone to erosion.

The tour visited some of the more recent logging sites. The operations were found satisfactory.

Petroleum containers noted by The Citizen on the earlier visit had been removed.

There was an oily haze on standing water in the log yard, near where The Citizen had found discarded oil containers, but Forest Ranger Mark Mayhue said it was from decaying slash, not petroleum leaks.

A ford across the brook, in the upper reaches of the watershed, had clearly been used only in winter, and showed no signs of erosion or sedimentation.

Much of the recent harvesting was a salvage operation, cleaning up ice storm damage in areas that had been selectively harvested in the mid 1990s. The few large trees left in the area showed sever damage.

Roberge said it was critical to remove the ice-storm damage to minimize the threat of a forest fire. He said the road network was also important for fire-fighting access.

The recent harvesting areas already show signs of the regenerative abilities of the northeastern forests. Young whips, raspberry thickets, and saplings cover the land. A young forest of birch, beech, and maple has taken root here. The forest will regenerate as hardwood. There was little softwood there to begin with, and the winter harvesting doesn't expose the mineral soils softwoods need to germinate.

At the end of the inspection, Ring said, "This is as good as most of the logging operations I've seen."

Richard Morse, the southern team leader for the Forest Service, added to Ring's assessment. "It's clear you're doing a good job of not affecting the quality of the water."

On Tuesday the Water District replied in writing to a number of logging-related questions that had been submitted by The Citizen earlier this month. The questions and answers will be printed, unedited, in next week's edition.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Hot canoes and paraphernalia, too

At 10:10 p.m. on May 17 police stopped three subjects on Vernon Street for a vehicle defect. One of the subjects, a juvenile, was riding in the back of the truck under three canoes. An inquiry about the canoes produced stories that did not match. The subjects were taken to the Oxford County Jail. During transport, it was found the canoes had been taken from a local business. Jeremy C. Gibbs, 18, of Bethel was charged with receiving stolen property. The two juveniles were charged with the same, as well as with possession of drug paraphernalia.

Friday, May 17

At 12:13 a.m. police were flagged over by a motorist advising of a possible intoxicated driver. During the conversation, the subject in question drove by and nearly struck the complainant in the back. The subject was stopped. He showed signs of intoxication and was given a battery of field sobriety tests and then arrested for OUI. After a breath test, Roger J. Fortier Jr., 35, of Jay was taken to the Oxford County Jail.

Saturday, May 18

At 10:25 p.m. police met with a subject who said that while he was parked on Park Street, a subject struck his vehicle and then fled the scene. The complainant had made contact with the subject and was asked not to tell police it was a hit and run. The officer issued a summons to John C. Boyd, 20, of Eliot for failure to notify owner/operator of a vehicle of an unattended collision.

Our Back Pages

Compiled by JOHN BROWN

10 years ago: Bethel police officer James Merrill graduated from the Maine Criminal Justice Academy in Waterville, completing 12 weeks of training at the municipal/county basic police school.

A volunteer group from SAD44 towns opened a District Exchange in the basement of Ethel Bisbee School.

Firefighters from 11 towns battled a forest fire covering 70 acres on Hanover's Mt. Dimmock.

Woodstock selectmen decided that the nearly 60-year-old grandstand at the town ball field had deteriorated so badly that it should be replaced.

Maine DOT crews were reconstructing a quarter-mile of Lover's Lane (Route 5).

Deaths: Chester D. Harrington, Rev. Jacqueline Merrill.

20 years ago: John W. Trinward, D.M.D. was elected to the board of trustees at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

At an hour and 45 minute meeting, SAD44 voters approved a gross budget of $2.8 million for fiscal year 1983.

Jennifer Lynn Mason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason III, was Miss Poppy 1982 representing Jackson-Silver Post 68 and Unit.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Ellingwood of Hanover observed their 40th wedding anniversary.

An Emergency Medical Technicians Course taught by Arlene Greenleaf held its final practical exam. Sixteen students passed and were licensed to work on ambulances.

30 years ago: Bridge Construction Corporation of Augusta was awarded a contract by the town of Bethel for construction of a waste disposal project.

Mrs. Marie Lang, Miss Florence Hall, Andover Elementary School; Mrs. Melva Willard, Locke Mills Elementary School and Mrs. Lettie Brooks, Woodstock Elementary School, were honored by the SAD44 Education Association upon their retirement.

Prize winners in the annual Poppy Poster Contest sponsored by the Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, were: first, Scott Wight; second, Anne Marie Saunders and third, Nancy Morin. Receiving honorable mention were: Merline Patterson, Douglas Webster and Kelly Hutchins.

Births: Kristofer Robert Colford, Julie Anne Emens.

Deaths: Sandra Elizabeth McAllister, Myrtle L. Barker, William J. Strout.

40 years ago: Two 8,000-gallon fuel tanks were placed in a large excavation beside the old gymnasium as work progressed on construction of Bingham Hall at Gould Academy.

Manning Chapman was painting the hydrants of the Bethel Water Company. The new colors were green and silver.

Prof. Ruth Crosby of the University of Maine English department, a summer resident of Newry, expected to retire in June.

The town of Woodstock employed M. Parker Allen to extensively repair the public wharf at Lake Christopher.

Berlin Municipal Airport in Milan, N.H. was dedicated to the memory of "Johnny" West, who died Feb. 21, 1941 at the Berlin Hospital from injuries received when his plane struck a power line near the Mason farm in Gilead.

Births: Stephanie Elaine Haines.

Deaths: Darwin Sweatt, Simeon Keddy, Ray A. Cummings.

50 years ago: Henry Boyker of Bethel filed papers as an Independent candidate for governor in the state's September general election.

Beryllium Development Inc. commenced operations in connection with the exploration, development and mining of pegmatite in the Newry Mountain district near Andover.

Water district members in Norway voted to add fluoride to its drinking water in accordance with plans already adopted by voters at town meeting.

Births: Tyrene Mae Sweetser, Michael Roy Lurvey, Gloria Jean Hebert.

Death: Leon Libby

70 years ago: A forest fire on the "Egypt Lot," East Bethel, burned over about 100 acres and threatened farm homes.

Boy Scouts accompanied by Scoutmaster Herbert R. Bean attended the Scout Jamboree in Lewiston.

80 years ago: A reception was given to the Rev. and Mrs. C.B. Oliver at the Methodist Church.

100 years ago: A telephone line from Locke Mills to Rumford via East Bethel was being contemplated.

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Briefly

Seven arrested on drug charges

RUMFORD—Seven men and women from Rumford and Mexico were arrested on cocaine trafficking charges last week. Warrants were also issued for two other men from Rumford and one from Dixfield. The arrests were the result of a six-month undercover investigation by Rumford police. Thirty-six law enforcement officers from eight agencies took part in the bust. Arrested were: Mark Allen, 41; Jarrod Chessie, 18; Ronny Rumley, 45; Lynda Allen, 41; Lyn Adams, 33, Jennifer Benya, 34; all of Mexico; and Donny Holder, 26, of Rumford. Arrest warrants on individual felony charges of cocaine trafficking were issued for Gary Tardiff, 41, and David Paquette, 25, both of Rumford, and Steve Marin, 38, of Dixfield. Paquette and Marin turned themselves in Tuesday. Others charged with felony cocaine trafficking were Mark Allen, four counts; Chessie, one count; Lynda Allen, one count; and Benya, one count. Rumley was charged with four felony counts of cocaine trafficking, one of which was reportedly made near a school. Adams and Holder were each charged with felony cocaine trafficking. Police confiscated several packages of cocaine in the bust. Cocaine was allegedly being openly used and sold in Jack's Place, a bar in Rumford, and many of the arrests stemmed from undercover drug buys at the bar, according to police.

New positions at Telstar

BETHEL—The SAD44 Board of Directors Monday appointed current employees to two newly-created "dean of students" positions at Telstar. Scott Edwards, a math teacher at the high school, was named to the THS position at a salary of $31,078. Tom Riley, a middle school science teacher, will have the job at TMS at a salary of $44,379. The high school duties will include issues such as discipline, attendance, scheduling, budgeting, parent/community communication, and student transition from TMS. Riley's responsibilities will be divided between the dean duties and Title I math/language arts instruction. The Title I responsibilities had previously been handled by tutors. The TMS dean duties will include responsibilities similar to those at THS, and will replace those of current TMS assistant principal Sally Hannon, who is retiring. The restructuring will be done with no overall increase in salary funds, said Supt. Kent Rosberg. Carroll Higgins, currently the athletic director/assistant principal at THS, will continue his AD responsibilities, as well as perform some teacher evaluations, monitor school accreditation, and handle all pupil-evaluation-team meetings (of which there were 100 this year, according to Rosberg). Higgins is scheduled to retire in 2004. Telstar principal David Murphy will focus more on supervising teachers and instructional issues, said Rosberg. In other business Monday, the board also appointed Sarah Bayard Southam as a chemistry teacher at Telstar High School. Southam, who holds a bachelor's degree in chemistry from Dartmouth College and a master's in education from Harvard University, most recently taught at Phillips Exeter Academy.

Woodstock group wants snack shack

WOODSTOCK—The Woodstock Athletic Boosters are proposing to build an 8-by-8 snack shack at Thurlow Field, selectmen learned Tuesday. The shack would be located near the scoreboard on the baseball field. Materials would be donated, and construction would be done by volunteers, said John Fitzmorris, a member of the group. Town manager Vern Maxfield later informed the Planning Board of the plan, and the planners gave informal permission to proceed, Maxfield said.

Wife-carrying moves to October

NEWRY—The North American Wife-Carrying Championship will take place in October this year, instead of August. The championship is scheduled for Oct. 12 at Sunday River Ski Resort, which will serve as the sole sponsor beginning this year. The event was established three years ago by the Mahoosuc Arts Council as a fundraiser. The rules call for two-partner teams – one male, one female, to navigate a course with water and other obstacles in the fastest possible time. One team member must carry the other.

No early season for auto road

MT. WASHINGTON, N.H.—Back in April, it was reported the Mt. Washington Auto Road was on target to open for the season on the earliest date in their 141st history — April 27, weather permitting. Even though it was an average year of snowfall on Mt. Washington — more than 262 inches — the road crew had made it to the summit and the auto road was just about ready to open. Then, the kind of weather Mt. Washington is famous for started. Snow covered the mountain and sent the road crew back to work and the early opening turned out to be wishful thinking. The road crew then worked toward a May 4 opening — the snow kept falling and opening was delayed again. The new opening day was Saturday, May 11. The snow was cleared and the auto road opened to the summit for about four hours that day and a couple of hours the next day. Then the snow started up again and fell through Wednesday, May 15, leaving snowdrifts in excess of four feet at the halfway mark on the auto road. The graders, backhoes and bulldozers that are usually put away by this time are still on the mountain being used to get the auto road open to the summit. As of noon on Friday, May 17, the road was open to just about the tree line for private vehicles. "We'll open to the summit as soon as we can. It all depends what the weather does. We're used to snow falling in all 12 months of the year, but this is a bit extreme even for those of us that have been at the auto road for years," said Mt. Washington Auto Road general manager, Howie Wemyss. "We're allowing private vehicles right now and will resume guided tours once we start running to the summit again." The Mt. Washington Auto Road is the oldest manmade attraction in America, having first opened to the summit of Mt. Washington, the highest peak in the Northeast in 1861.

Adelphia officials resign

COUDERSPORT, Pa.—Adelphia Communications Corp. announced Sunday that James R. Brown has resigned from his job as vice president of finance, just days after two members of the embattled cable-television company's found family resigned. Adelphia found John J. Rigas, company chairman and chief executive officer, and his son, Timothy, chief financial officer, both resigned last week. The resignations came in the wake of the company's revelation that it had failed to disclose $2.3 billion in borrowing by the Rigas family and partnerships for which the company might bear liability. The company also confirmed last week that the Securities and Exchange Commission was investigating, delayed filing its annual 10-K financial statement, and said it would restate three years of financial results to show $1.6 billion of the off-the-books debt as a liability.

Don't post signs on power poles

AUGUSTA—Central Maine Power Co. is reminding people that posting signs on utility poles can endanger workers and can lead to fines. Nails, tacks, screws, and staples left in a pole from attaching signs can cause life-threatening rips in insulating gloves, tear clothing, cut workers, or lead to other accidents that could hurt people and interrupt service. Attaching anything to a pole without permission is a civil offense that can draw a fine of up to $100.

New gas cans proposed

ALBANY, N.Y.—Old rusty or plastic gasoline cans stored in garages and basements would eventually give way to more environmentally sound — and more expensive — gas containers under a proposed state regulation. Similar efforts to get rid of old cans — more prone than newer versions to produce gas spills and emission — have spread to the East Coast from California, with states from Virginia to Maine joining the movement. All measures allow a year for inventories of old cans to be sold, and consumers won't face recalls of old containers. The Alliance for Proper Gasoline Handling says the little spills from gassing up lawnmowers, boats and stranded automobiles put 9 million gallons of gas, the equivalent of a supertanker, into the ground each year. The vapors from the often uncapped 78 million old cans nationwide also contribute tons of emissions daily.

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Diary

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the age of 23.

The palm-sized diary, said Fuller, "was hard to read. Some of it wasn't written under the best of conditions."

He went through the diary without correcting spelling or punctuation, a common practice for those compiling such diaries, he said. It gives the reader "a feel for the time and circumstance," said Fuller.

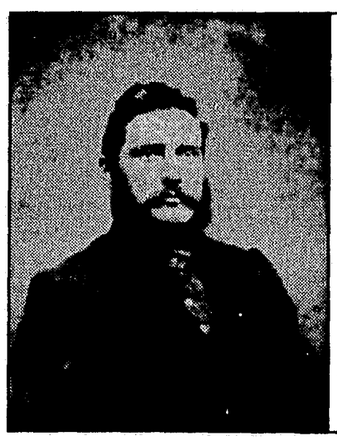
In most cases, Perkins' entries were brief, but Fuller provides the reader with more context by including information from other sources, much of it obtained through the Maine State Library.

Perkins' very first entry came in the aftermath of the First Battle of Bull Run, July 21, 1861. "Battle of bulls run and was repulsed," he wrote.

Adds Fuller, "The Maine units under Col. Oliver Howard's Brigade, were committed to the fray, but they were so exhausted from their long marches at the double quick in the extreme heat, with no food or adequate water, they could barely walk, much less fight. Nearly half of the regiments were lost to fatigue on the march to the battlefield."

In another entry on June 7, 1862, Perkins wrote: "On picket on the outposts plain in sight of the rebels one 3 (1/3?) of a mile Fort darling taken with 3,700 prisoners"

Adds Fuller, "The Union pickets and the Confederate pickets were very close to each other in this area. The troops from both sides would often, at times like this, take the opportunity to talk to each other and trade goods. Usually the trade was Union coffee for Confederate tobacco. This practice was frowned on by officers on both sides, but was generally overlooked. The next day they would go back to trying to kill each other."



OTIS PERKINS just prior to enlisting in the Union Army. Perkins' granddaughters remember him as an old man, his walk and posture still affected by a wound suffered in 1865, when he was struck in the chest by a bouncing cannonball.

Fuller said he would change a word in Perkins' writings only if it was otherwise too confusing for the reader. Any changes appear in parentheses.

Fuller got to know Perkins' style, and used it to help "translate." For example, he said, "I'd look for how he made his 'g's'."

But some of the information escaped him, too. "I'd study a sentence for an hour sometimes. But there were some words I just couldn't get. It's all there — you just couldn't read it."

Fuller also includes 10 letters written by Perkins, which provide much more detail than the diary. In an 1861 letter from Alexandria, Va., Perkins writes his mother asking how the farm crops are doing. "How do the crops look and how many eggs have you sold and how many chickens have you raised this year Eggs are worth 36 cts. per doz here and milk from ten to fifth cents a quart."

Wounded

Late in the war, on March 25, 1865, near Petersburg, Va., Perkins wrote the following: "We .packed up this morning This afternoon we actacted the rebs in front of Fort Fisher and drove them back I was wounded about 41/2 P.M."

With no further details, Fuller had to resort to the pension records of Perkins to find out more about his wound. (These were obtained through an acquaintance Fuller contacted on the Internet, in a Civil War chatroom.)

Fuller learned Perkins was struck in the chest by a bouncing cannonball as he lay on the ground, breaking several ribs.

According to the pension record, "That the ribs thus broken off have fallen in, compressing the lungs, causing much pain and difficulty in breathing. There is much numbness and loss of power or motion in the left side and limbs, by reason whereof he is disabled for manual labor."

Perkins' granddaughters, said Fuller, can remember him as an old man, his walk and posture still affected by the wound.

Perkins was in the army hospital for some time, and on April 8, shook the hand of President Abraham Lincoln when the president visited wounded soldiers.

Six days later, Lincoln was assassinated.

"The President was shot this evening about 10 by a vilan," wrote Perkins in his April 14 diary entry.

Perkins left the service in June, arriving back in Portland July 2, to make his final diary entry: "We got to Portland at two this morning and got Breakfast and marched out to Camp Berry."

He returned to Oxford and still managed to farm and do carpentry despite his wound. He died in 1930.

After two years of research, "It's just like I knew him," said Fuller.

At the beginning of his book, Fuller writes, "To hold in my hand the original diary written by a soldier who was in the First Battle of Bull Run, took part in Burnside's infamous 'Mud March,' was wounded at Fort Fisher, shook hands with President Abraham Lincoln, spent nearly four years out in the rain, snow, sun and mud, and did his duty with hardly a complaint, just sends shivers down my spine. Thank God for Otis and the many thousands like him."

The book on Perkins is available at Books 'n Things in Oxford and Maine Line Products in Locke Mills.

Fuller is planning another diary compilation, this one on an army assistant surgeon from Standish. He expects it to take another two years.

Gould graduation

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classmates to address them at commencement. He has been active in the drama program at Gould, and as a member of the soccer and lacrosse teams. He was recently elected to the National Honor Society and will continue his education at Yale University in the fall.

On Friday afternoon, the Rev. Brendon Bass will deliver the invocation at Gould's traditional baccalaureate ceremonies at the West Parish Congregational Church. Senior Megan Holtham will present the class banner, and the graduating class has selected classmate Gregory Perchik and faculty members Bradford Clarke and Erik Janicki to address them.

Perchik has attended Gould for four years, and will continue his studies at the Queens University in the fall. He is a student proctor and has been active in Gould's music program and as a member of the Outing Club and snowboard and tennis teams. He is the son of Lawrence and Sandra Perchik of West Boxford, Mass.

Janicki is a graduate of Gould Academy's Class of 1991. He has taught biology and ecology at the school for seven years, and was instrumental in the development of the Farm and Forest Program. He is departing at the end of the current school year to continue his education at the University of New Hampshire, where he will pursue a master's degree in microbiology.

Clarke has taught history at Gould for five years, including such senior elective courses as Eastern Religions and Islam Today. He holds a Ph.D. in political science from Brandeis University.

On Friday evening, the Gould music department, under the direction of James McLaughlin III, will present its annual spring concert in Bingham Auditorium. The concert, which begins at 8 p.m., will feature both instrumental and vocal selections. It is open to the public and there is no charge for admission.

Cats

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rounded up.

But even in those rare cases, the problem does not stop there.

"Our biggest problem with the cats is what we do with them once we catch them," Tripp said.

There are few places willing to take the cats, Tripp said.

"Presently the only place we have been able to find that will accept cats is Responsible Pet Care in Norway.

And as the number of cats involved in a situation increases, the number of options for disposing of them humanely decreases.

In an earlier case Responsible Pet Care was reluctant to accept six cats, Tripp said, but they eventually agreed to.

"But," he said, "when you're talking 12, 15, 20 cats, there's no place in the world that will take them," Tripp told the selectmen.

And even in situation where a shelter can be found, the cats must be taken to a veterinarian, examined, and either given shots or euthanized.

All told, Tripp said, the cost to Bethel amounts to at least $71 per cat, often more.

"A typical situation is 10 to a dozen cats," he said, "and at $80 each that's $1,000."

And it isn't just the money, he told the selectmen, it's the general frustration of attempting to deal with the conditions out of which such problems often arise.

"The central problem is the house," he said.

Town Manager Scott Cole agreed, but noted there is little the town can do in such situations, especially since they are largely not addressed in town ordinances.

"There's a presumed right to live in squalor," he said.

Tripp said later that the problem of nuisance cats is statewide. Animal Control Officer Ozzie Hart is contacting other ACOs, Tripp said, and attempting to see if there is some way to press for a statewide solution.

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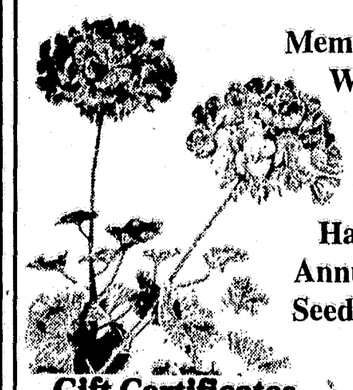

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Bethel

by Virginia Keniston

Bethel certainly has its share of birds this spring. Sighted at a Bethel residence from 5 to 6 a.m. on Tuesday, May 21, were the following birds: orioles, blue jays, mourning doves, goldfinches, purple finches, a female black-throated blue warbler, downy and hairy woodpeckers, song sparrow, white-crown sparrow, robins, chickadees, hummingbirds, chipping sparrows, catbirds, cowbirds, a brown thrasher, white-throat sparrows, tree sparrows, evening grosbeaks, pigeons, grackles, tree swallows, and heard were crows, a flicker and a phoebe. A deer, several chipmunks, a woodchuck and a gray squirrel rounded out the count. Both nuthatches were seen later in the morning.

Rick and Melissa Young of Bryant Pond and Jane Young of Bethel spent the week in Portland, Ore., and attended Laurie Young's graduation from Lewis and Clarke University. She received a master's degree in sociology and anthropology. She plans to spend the summer white water rafting in Oregon and in the fall will pursue further studies in New Zealand.

On Saturday, the Androscoggin Chorale held a concert at the Norway Congregational Church. Amy Davis attended this concert, as her daughter, Susan White, was a member of the group.

Muriel Butters spent the weekend in Bar Harbor visiting Bruce and Lottie Stevens and sons, Aaron, Alex and Adam.

Betty Perkins is at home after being a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway. Betty's brother, Bob Trenholm, visited with her last Saturday.

Bud and Shirley Clough are at home in West Bethel after spending the winter in Florida.

Harry and Barbara Kuzyk recently returned to their Bethel home after spending the winter in Florida.

Allen and Jackie Cressy spent the weekend in Concord, N.H., helping Al's parents move to a new apartment. It snowed heavily during much of the move, but the gray day was made much brighter when Jackie found her mother-in-law's diamond ring that had been missing for several years.

On Saturday, May 11, Lindley and Pauline Wieden drove to Presque Isle to attend their 61st class reunion of the graduating class at Aroostook State Normal School, now the University of Maine in Presque Isle. On the return trip, on Sunday, they stopped at the home of their daughter and husband, Catherine and Thomas Sands, in Dover-Foxcroft for a Mother's Day cookout. The Sands' three children, Amber, Seth and Joshua were all there. Another daughter, Priscilla Hansen, who also lives in Dover-Foxcroft, came over with her four daughters, Ashley, Jennie, Emily and Anna. A lovely time was shared by all.

On Friday evening, May 10, the Wiedens' eldest daughter and husband, Sylvia and Blaine Miller of Norridgewock, came and took them out for an early Mother's Day dinner.

Dates to remember at Crescent Park School: May 30, Grade Five travels to Boston and returns on May 31; June 5 is Step-Up Day; June 6, Grade Five has Celebration Night; and June 11 is the last day of school.

Sunday River Valley

by Rockie Graham

Amidst the snow and the cold, nature still knows that it is spring. The songbirds are back and they're still chirping, even though it is cold. The turkeys are in evidence along the roads, flying and doing their odd little run. I saw a groundhog the other day. I was just looking out the window and saw something moving in the woods. I was not clear it was real, until it ran. I have yet to see a deer or moose this spring. That, too, will come.

Am attempting to get back into my workout routine. It is amazing how easy it is to get out of a routine, and how difficult it is to get back into it. Last week, with a little help, I actually made it to the gym, twice. Maybe this week I can try for three times. Tasha would prefer I did outside time, instead, but with the rain, I've been negligent on that score.

Mike Liberti has returned from Bolivia looking tanned and in very good spirits. Hope he and Dave Nivus had a great time. Sounds like the trip was good.

Thursday (the 23rd) is the 6th anniversary of the Bethel Area Poets Society. Although in a lull, right now, we are more than welcome to new poets. Anyone with any interest, should give us a call at 824-3427, or join us at the Black Bear B&B from 7 to 9 p.m. tonight. Bring your favorite poems, read your own poems, or just come to listen.

The hour gets late and I must get ready for work. Have a good week, stay safe and come join us for an evening of poetry.

Hanover

by Clem Worcester

It started snowing in the late afternoon on Monday, May 13, after two days of rain. By the next morning several inches had accumulated. The rain continued most of the day Tuesday and patches of snow remained on the ground until the end of the week. A power failure Monday evening, that lasted about an hour, was blamed on the heavy snow and roads were reported to be very slippery. It was an excellent welcome home gift for those old folks who sneak off to Florida to escape Maine winters.

Clean Up Day got a lot of work done around the Town Office and the boat ramp. Litter was picked up, trees trimmed, leaves raked, branches hauled off and the lawn was mowed. Participating were Bruce Powell, Bob Fortin and his tractor, Pat Monroe, Rita Aromaa, Norman Ferguson, Deidre O'Callaghan and Clem Worcester. Thanks, Deidre, for lunch.

Rumford Fire Department responded to a burning branch that came in contact with wires along Main Street on Tuesday.

Now open for business. On Wednesday, May 15, Debbie and Duke Dupont opened their antique store for the first time. The store, the former Knights of Pythias Hall at 2074 Main Street, has been undergoing alterations since it was purchased last winter.

Mason Township

by Richard Grover

I received my June issue of National Geographic magazine a couple days ago. The article featured on the cover is "D-Day," appropriate for Memorial Day weekend. I read this article and found several interesting facts or incidents that I had not previously known. One of these was a "live fire exercise" and practice landing and beach assault conducted on a beach in England in April 1944, just a few weeks before D-Day. This exercise involved some 30,000 soldiers, sailors and airmen and turned out to be a disaster, when over 900 people were killed. After this fiasco, General Eisenhower was deeply worried about the upcoming Normandy invasion.

I highly recommend the June "Geographic" article for the above story and several other incidents related to D-Day. It helps the reader develop a feeling for the scope of effort and sacrifice our troops and the Navy "Sons of Beaches" faced in overcoming the complex and exceedingly dangerous system of defenses both in the water and on the shorelands abutting the Normandy beaches. I hope these reminders help motivate more of our readers to appreciate the supreme sacrifices made by so many of our service men and women over the years on this weekend's Memorial Day.

On a brighter note, we seem to be getting a little warmer and dryer weather to help motivate all us gardeners to get out and get our hands dirty. My early peas and spinach are just sitting there waiting for the sun to come out.

Last weekend, Mona and I hosted her great-grandson, Boston, from Saturday morning until Sunday evening. I had forgotten how much work and effort goes into watching out for a two-year-old. Boston is a very good boy, but his attention span lasts for about 15 seconds. Then it is time for something else. I found out he does love to go down by the brook and throw rocks and sticks into the water (no surprise here.). Snuffy also likes to go along, wade in the water, and chase the rock splashes. There is also just enough sand to make little roads for a dump truck and to keep Boston busy "shoveling." There is a magical attraction that water, sand and rocks hold for young kids of all ages.

East Bethel

by Nancy Mercer

The barn swallows and hummingbirds are here now. They have not been greeted by very warm weather.

Nina Mollicone will be hosting a Yard Sale at her home on May 26 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hastings of Fryeburg visited Florence Hastings on May 19.

Florence Hastings has a new great-grandson born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morton on May 17.

Clint Schum and his wife are here for the summer from Atlanta, Ga.

Ruby Coolidge and the Scoggin Cloggers performed for the residents of the Veterans' Home in South Paris on May 17. The show was enjoyed.

Pam and Steve Wojtysiak of Westbrook visited Mary Bean on May 19 and Penny and John Kittredge.

Dot Bartlett visited Diane Morris and family in Tallahassee, Fla., for several days recently.

Mrs. Barbara Hamilton and Mrs. Marilyn Trimble of Phoenix, Ariz., visited with Dot Bartlett for several days last week.

The Grange supper schedule is as follows: June 15, chicken pot pie; July 27, cold cuts, baked beans and casseroles; Aug. 17, yard sale and chicken BBQ; Sept. 14, chicken pot pie; Oct. 19, Harvest Supper; and Nov. 9, turkey with all the trimmings.

Have a nice week. God Bless America.

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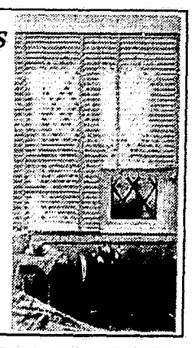

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The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

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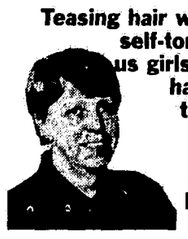
I think that hairstyles for both men and women are at their all-time best in the new millennium. Though short hair seems to be the current trend, collar length or long hair are equally in for both sexes. But the main theme is "keep it simple," and I like that.

My daughter was visiting the other day and I was watching her brushing her hair. She moaned and groaned that, "My hair won't do anything right," but the simple truth is that she has collar-length hair that she can wear down, up, part of it pulled back or all of it pulled back. She can, in fact, do just about anything with it.



Teasing hair was an act of self-torture that all us girls of the 60's had to endure to create the bouffant or beehive that we just had to have.

I said nothing because I had vowed I would never hit my kids with, "You think you have it bad. Back in my day..." Haven't we all heard how our parents walked five miles or more to school in a raging blizzard up hill both ways or how our mothers or grandmothers had to wash clothes by banging them on rocks down at the "ole" creek? If I were one of those parents I would have told her that back in my day when I was her age things were a lot different.

Back in my day was the mid-60's when bouffants and beehives were the hairstyles of the day right along with buck bags and angora sweaters. Strict adherence to those styles was a must or you were nowhere.

If you tell a kid of today that you "teased" your hair, they will look at you like you're crazy. I can just hear them, "Sure, what did you do, hide the comb or call your hair names?"

Teasing hair was an act of self-torture that all us girls of the 60's had to endure to create the bouffant or beehive that we just had to have. We started the process just as kids of today do, by shampooing, but that's where the similarity ends.

We didn't have blow dryers or curling irons – we had "brush rollers." Only on Saturdays could we enjoy the luxury of drying our hair, which was accomplished by being attached to the dryer with a long, flexible hose and a plastic cap on our heads. With our tresses rolled tightly in the "brush rollers," drying was a time-consuming ordeal.

It was, however, a much better option than what we had to live with during the week, which was to curl our hair at night, and that meant sleeping on the "brush rollers." Unless you have ever experienced it, you can't even begin to understand what it is like to sleep with bristles and plastic picks sticking into your scalp. I won't even try to describe it because I could not do justice to the pain and discomfort, but I'm sure there are a few readers that know what I am talking about.

When morning came, the hair, if your were lucky, was dry and it was time to take the rollers out, or more precisely, rip the rollers out, because they never just came out. Then it was brush, tease, style and spray. Pretty simple, huh?

To tease the hair you took some hair in hand, extended it out with the hand as far as it would go. With the other hand you would take a comb; it had to be a pretty sturdy comb, and run it through the hair making downward strokes toward the scalp from the end of the extended hair. When this was done, you repeated the process until there was not a strand unteased.

My mother used to say I was making rat's nests on my head, and I suppose if there had been any around they would have found my hair quite inviting.

After the hair was all teased, you brushed and styled, very gently, very, very gently. The goal was to create a smooth, sleek look with the outer hair to conceal the teasing. I usually wore my hair in a beehive which meant pulling the hair back from both sides of the face and twisting one side over the other and rolling it into place and holding it there with a million bobby pins. Do bobby pins still exist? Anyway, after the rolling, tucking and pinning came the hair spray, lots of hair spray, and if there happened to be a special occasion, one could add glitter that would stick to the hair by adding more hair spray.

If this was done right, especially the teasing and brushing part, when you were done you had "height." I was pretty good at it and my hair was usually taller than I was.

I almost forgot about the "spit curls" and clip-on bows. You had to have spit curls which were half-moon type curls in front of each ear and stuck to the side of your face (more hair spray) to which you would attach a pretty little clip on bow that would color coordinate with whatever you were wearing.

What a terrible thing to go through every day you might be thinking to yourself, and of course you would be right. But the real terror came when you had to comb all of that mess out. I'm surprised that I have any hair left at all. I used to go roller-skating every Sunday night and the dust caused by the floor wax would stick to my hair along with the hair spray and glitter. Combing such a mess usually led to tears.

The men may laugh about all of this, but they were not exempt from subjecting themselves to hairstyling rituals with their DA's and flattops. My brother spent more time than I did in front of the mirror with his Brylcream, "a little dab will do ya." He had so much grease and water on his hair that when he walked to school in the winter, he had icicles on his flattop when he got there. And no guy ever went anywhere without a comb in his back pocket which he would pull out and flip through his hair whenever he passed a mirror.

A lot of changes have taken place in hairstyles over the years and we have lived through long, short, teasing, crew cuts, spikes and Mohawks. We have gone beyond the day-glow colors and are now into lightening bolts on the sides and multiple day-glow colors. That's progress? Some men now get their hair done at beauty parlors, though they prefer to say unisex salons. Blow dryers, curling irons, mousse and gel are the hair care products of the day and hopefully a lot easier on the scalp.

The way I see it, the God of Hair is much kinder than when I was a teenager and I like it that way. When I get my hair done I just tell whoever is cutting it to do whatever they think will look good just as long as they don't "tease" it.

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ACROSS
1 Wished undone
5 In fact
10 Vance or McCormick
15 Callao's country
19 Proverb preposition
20 Rene of "Big Trouble"
21 Annual award?
22 Authentic
23 "My —" ('65 hit)
24 Romance
25 Host a roast
26 Forearm bone
27 Monotony
29 States briefly?
31 Hit man
33 Actress Schneider
34 Touches
36 Pecs' partners
37 Clark of "Finian's Rainbow"
40 Usually
42 Considers carefully
46 Bouquet
47 Green and Gore
48 Interstate exit
50 Cowboy star Lash
51 Young boxers
52 Navigation hazards
54 Fireplace fragment
56 Valueless
57 Zoo attraction
58 Greeted the general
60 Jason's wife
62 Ram's remark
63 Acted like a peacock
65 Scoffed at
67 Orchestra section
69 Neighbor of Nev.
70 Keep an eye on
71 Destroy
72 Show indifference
74 Model Beverly
75 "Wall $treet Week" host
79 Mauna —
80 Michelangelo work
82 Potsdam pastry
84 Lilly of pharmaceuticals
85 Not give — (be indifferent)
87 Actress Samantha
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90 "Educating —" ('83 film)
91 Certain sharks
93 Actress Sharon
94 — -de-lance
95 Jabber away
96 Impacts
98 — oxide
101 Dentistry material
102 Use a phaser
103 Standards
104 Iran's Abolhassan — -Sadr
105 Swedish turnip
110 Trams transport it
111 Like Schonberg's music
114 Turgenev's birthplace
115 Plot
117 Pianist Gould
120 Got off
122 "Zip- — -Doo-Dah"
123 Uneven
124 It comes from the heart
125 Eye drop?
126 Tamblyn or Westover
127 Celtic cultist
128 Pancake topping
129 Stocking shade

DOWN
1 Bad hair, every day?
2 Element
3 Raison d'—
4 Stagnant state
5 Shock
6 Card game
7 Troop grp.
8 Shreveport coll.
9 Nigerian native
10 Animal
11 Root vegetable
12 Costa —
13 Manipulates
14 It has its ups and downs
15 Franco- — War
16 Elver's folks
17 Rampur royalty
18 — Bator
28 Kansas city
30 Big —, CA
32 Explorer Tasman
34 Desirable quality
35 Shut forcefully
37 Irene of "Zorba the Greek"
38 Let out the lava
39 Sot
40 Viva voce
41 Inlay
43 Baby beetles
44 Sinuous dances
45 Actress Ward
47 "Go!" to Gounod
49 Word form for "foot"
52 Exhaustion
53 Smooth transition
55 Told off
58 Play the mandolin
59 Push-buttons' predecessors
61 Sharon of Israel
64 Mideast letters
66 "The Sun Also Rises" heroine
68 Some
70 Semisolid protein
71 More uncouth
72 To date
73 Terse verse
74 Heathen
75 Ancient characters
76 Notre Dame's river
77 Singer John
78 Laughing
79 It becomes ewe?
81 Mil. group
83 Sewell of "A Knight's Tale"
86 Tennis great Pancho
88 Updated the factory
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92 Use a poniard
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97 Set apart
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100 Zeno's zees
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104 Swahili, e.g.
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107 Some shirts
108 Teri of "Tootsie"
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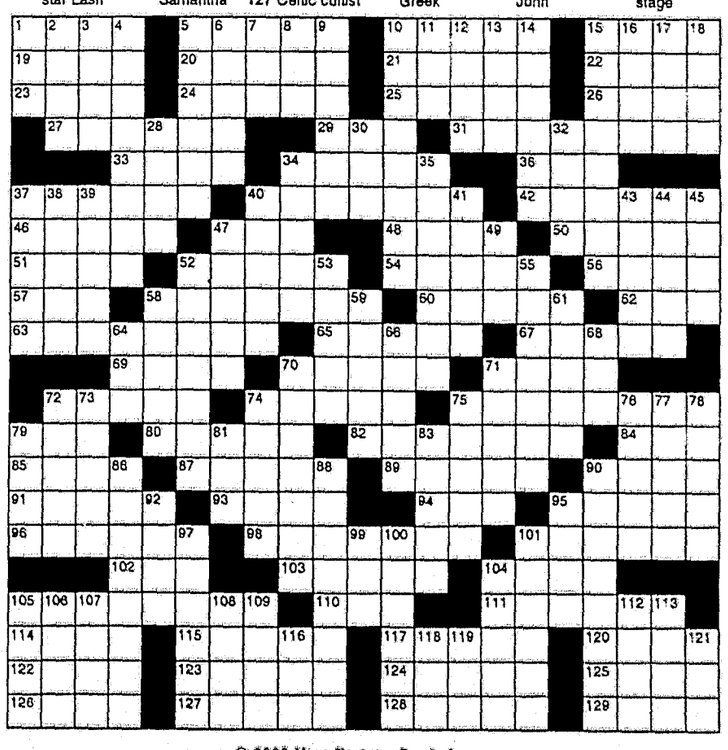

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Diary

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the age of 23.

The palm-sized diary, said Fuller, "was hard to read. Some of it wasn't written under the best of conditions."

He went through the diary without correcting spelling or punctuation, a common practice for those compiling such diaries, he said. It gives the reader "a feel for the time and circumstance," said Fuller.

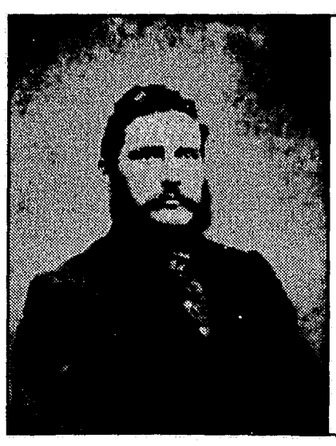
In most cases, Perkins' entries were brief, but Fuller provides the reader with more context by including information from other sources, much of it obtained through the Maine State Library.

Perkins' very first entry came in the aftermath of the First Battle of Bull Run, July 21, 1861. "Battle of bulls run and was repulsed," he wrote.

Adds Fuller, "The Maine units under Col. Oliver Howard's Brigade, were committed to the fray, but they were so exhausted from their long marches at the double quick in the extreme heat, with no food or adequate water, they could barely walk, much less fight. Nearly half of the regiments were lost to fatigue on the march to the battlefield."

In another entry on June 7, 1862, Perkins wrote: "On picket on the outposts plain in sight of the rebels one 3 (1/3?) of a mile Fort darling taken with 3,700 prisoners"

Adds Fuller, "The Union pickets and the Confederate pickets were very close to each other in this area. The troops from both sides would often, at times like this, take the opportunity to talk to each other and trade goods. Usually the trade was Union coffee for Confederate tobacco. This practice was frowned on by officers on both sides, but was generally overlooked. The next day they would go back to trying to kill each other."



OTIS PERKINS just prior to enlisting in the Union Army. Perkins' granddaughters remember him as an old man, his walk and posture still affected by a wound suffered in 1865, when he was struck in the chest by a bouncing cannonball.

Fuller said he would change a word in Perkins' writings only if it was otherwise too confusing for the reader. Any changes appear in parentheses.

Fuller got to know Perkins' style, and used it to help "translate." For example, he said, "I'd look for how he made his 'g's'."

But some of the information escaped him, too. "I'd study a sentence for an hour sometimes. But there were some words I just couldn't get. It's all there — you just couldn't read it."

Fuller also includes 10 letters written by Perkins, which provide much more detail than the diary. In an 1861 letter from Alexandria, Va., Perkins writes his mother asking how the farm crops are doing. "How do the crops look and how many eggs have you sold and how many chickens have you raised this year Eggs are worth 36 cts. per doz here and milk from ten to fifth cents a quart."

Wounded

Late in the war, on March 25, 1865, near Petersburg, Va., Perkins wrote the following: "We packed up this morning This afternoon we actacted the rebs in front of Fort Fisher and drove them back I was wounded about 41/2 P.M."

With no further details, Fuller had to resort to the pension records of Perkins to find out more about his wound. (These were obtained through an acquaintance Fuller contacted on the Internet, in a Civil War chatroom.)

Fuller learned Perkins was struck in the chest by a bouncing cannonball as he lay on the ground, breaking several ribs.

According to the pension record, "That the ribs thus broken off have fallen in, compressing the lungs, causing much pain and difficulty in breathing. There is much numbness and loss of power or motion in the left side and limbs, by reason whereof he is disabled for manual labor."

Perkins' granddaughters, said Fuller, can remember him as an old man, his walk and posture still affected by the wound.

Perkins was in the army hospital for some time, and on April 8, shook the hand of President Abraham Lincoln when the president visited wounded soldiers.

Six days later, Lincoln was assassinated.

"The President was shot this evening about 10 by a vilan," wrote Perkins in his April 14 diary entry.

Perkins left the service in June, arriving back in Portland July 2, to make his final diary entry: "We got to Portland at two this morning and got Breakfast and marched out to Camp Berry."

He returned to Oxford and still managed to farm and do carpentry despite his wound. He died in 1930.

After two years of research, "It's just like I knew him," said Fuller.

At the beginning of his book, Fuller writes, "To hold in my hand the original diary written by a soldier who was in the First Battle of Bull Run, took part in Burnside's infamous 'Mud March,' was wounded at Fort Fisher, shook hands with President Abraham Lincoln, spent nearly four years out in the rain, snow, sun and mud, and did his duty with hardly a complaint, just sends shivers down my spine. Thank God for Otis and the many thousands like him."

The book on Perkins is available at Books 'n Things in Oxford and Maine Line Products in Locke Mills.

Fuller is planning another diary compilation, this one on an army assistant surgeon from Standish. He expects it to take another two years.

Gould graduation

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classmates to address them at commencement. He has been active in the drama program at Gould, and as a member of the soccer and lacrosse teams. He was recently elected to the National Honor Society and will continue his education at Yale University in the fall.

On Friday afternoon, the Rev. Brendon Bass will deliver the invocation at Gould's traditional baccalaureate ceremonies at the West Parish Congregational Church. Senior Megan Holtham will present the class banner, and the graduating class has selected classmate Gregory Perchik and faculty members Bradford Clarke and Erik Janicki to address them.

Perchik has attended Gould for four years, and will continue his studies at the Queens University in the fall. He is a student proctor and has been active in Gould's music program and as a member of the Outing Club and snowboard and tennis teams. He is the son of Lawrence and Sandra Perchik of West Boxford, Mass.

Janicki is a graduate of Gould Academy's Class of 1991. He has taught biology and ecology at the school for seven years, and was instrumental in the development of the Farm and Forest Program. He is departing at the end of the current school year to continue his education at the University of New Hampshire, where he will pursue a master's degree in microbiology.

Clarke has taught history at Gould for five years, including such senior elective courses as Eastern Religions and Islam Today. He holds a Ph.D. in political science from Brandeis University.

On Friday evening, the Gould music department, under the direction of James McLaughlin III, will present its annual spring concert in Bingham Auditorium. The concert, which begins at 8 p.m., will feature both instrumental and vocal selections. It is open to the public and there is no charge for admission.

Cats

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rounded up.

But even in those rare cases, the problem does not stop there.

"Our biggest problem with the cats is what we do with them once we catch them," Tripp said.

There are few places willing to take the cats, Tripp said.

"Presently the only place we have been able to find that will accept cats is Responsible Pet Care in Norway.

And as the number of cats involved in a situation increases, the number of options for disposing of them humanely decreases.

In an earlier case Responsible Pet Care was reluctant to accept six cats, Tripp said, but they eventually agreed to.

"But," he said, "when you're talking 12, 15, 20 cats, there's no place in the world that will take them," Tripp told the selectmen.

And even in situation where a shelter can be found, the cats must be taken to a veterinarian, examined, and either given shots or euthanized.

All told, Tripp said, the cost to Bethel amounts to at least $71 per cat, often more.

"A typical situation is 10 to a dozen cats," he said, "and at $80 each that's $1,000."

And it isn't just the money, he told the selectmen, it's the general frustration of attempting to deal with the conditions out of which such problems often arise.

"The central problem is the house," he said.

Town Manager Scott Cole agreed, but noted there is little the town can do in such situations, especially since they are largely not addressed in town ordinances.

"There's a presumed right to live in squalor," he said.

Tripp said later that the problem of nuisance cats is statewide. Animal Control Officer Ozzie Hart is contacting other ACOs, Tripp said, and attempting to see if there is some way to press for a statewide solution.

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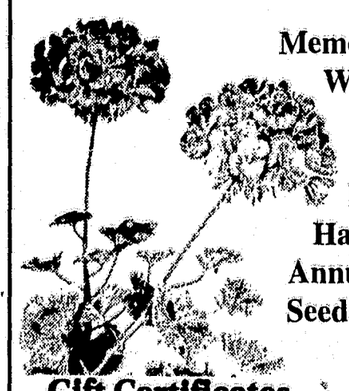

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Bethel

by Virginia Keniston

Bethel certainly has its share of birds this spring. Sighted at a Bethel residence from 5 to 6 a.m. on Tuesday, May 21, were the following birds: orioles, blue jays, mourning doves, goldfinches, purple finches, a female black-throated blue warbler, downy and hairy woodpeckers, song sparrow, white-crown sparrow, robins, chickadees, hummingbirds, chipping sparrows, catbirds, cowbirds, a brown thrasher, white-throat sparrows, tree sparrows, evening grosbeaks, pigeons, grackles, tree swallows, and heard were crows, a flicker and a phoebe. A deer, several chipmunks, a woodchuck and a gray squirrel rounded out the count. Both nuthatches were seen later in the morning.

Rick and Melissa Young of Bryant Pond and Jane Young of Bethel spent the week in Portland, Ore., and attended Laurie Young's graduation from Lewis and Clarke University. She received a master's degree in sociology and anthropology. She plans to spend the summer white water rafting in Oregon and in the fall will pursue further studies in New Zealand.

On Saturday, the Androscoggin Chorale held a concert at the Norway Congregational Church. Amy Davis attended this concert, as her daughter, Susan White, was a member of the group.

Muriel Butters spent the weekend in Bar Harbor visiting Bruce and Lottie Stevens and sons, Aaron, Alex and Adam.

Betty Perkins is at home after being a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway. Betty's brother, Bob Trenholm, visited with her last Saturday.

Bud and Shirley Clough are at home in West Bethel after spending the winter in Florida.

Harry and Barbara Kuzyk recently returned to their Bethel home after spending the winter in Florida.

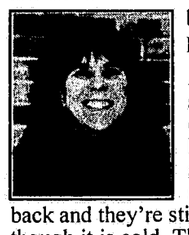
Allen and Jackie Cressy spent the weekend in Concord, N.H., helping Al's parents move to a new apartment. It snowed heavily during much of the move, but the gray day was made much brighter when Jackie found her mother-in-law's diamond ring that had been missing for several years.

On Saturday, May 11, Lindley and Pauline Wieden drove to Presque Isle to attend their 61st class reunion of the graduating class at Aroostook State Normal School, now the University of Maine in Presque Isle. On the return trip, on Sunday, they stopped at the home of their daughter and husband, Catherine and Thomas Sands, in Dover-Foxcroft for a Mother's Day cookout. The Sands' three children, Amber, Seth and Joshua were all there. Another daughter, Priscilla Hansen, who also lives in Dover-Foxcroft, came over with her four daughters, Ashley, Jennie, Emily and Anna. A lovely time was shared by all.

On Friday evening, May 10, the Wiedens' eldest daughter and husband, Sylvia and Blaine Miller of Norridgewock, came and took them out for an early Mother's Day dinner.

Dates to remember at Crescent Park School: May 30, Grade Five travels to Boston and returns on May 31; June 5 is Step-Up Day; June 6, Grade Five has Celebration Night; and June 11 is the last day of school.

Sunday River Valley



by Rockie Graham

Amidst the snow and the cold, nature still knows that it is spring. The songbirds are back and they're still chirping, even though it is cold. The turkeys are in evidence along the roads, flying and doing their odd little run. I saw a groundhog the other day. I was just looking out the window and saw something moving in the woods. I was not clear it was real, until it ran., I have yet to see a deer or moose this spring. That, too, will come.

Am attempting to get back into my workout routine. It is amazing how easy it is to get out of a routine, and how difficult it is to get back into it. Last week, with a little help, I actually made it to the gym, twice. Maybe this week I can try for three times. Tasha would prefer I did outside time, instead, but with the rain, I've been negligent on that score.

Mike Liberti has returned from Bolivia looking tanned and in very good spirits. Hope he and Dave Nivus had a great time. Sounds like the trip was good.

Thursday (the 23rd) is the 6th anniversary of the Bethel Area Poets Society. Although in a lull, right now, we are more than welcome to new poets. Anyone with any interest, should give us a call at 824-3427, or join us at the Black Bear B&B from 7 to 9 p.m. tonight. Bring your favorite poems, read your own poems, or just come to listen.

The hour gets late and I must get ready for work. Have a good week, stay safe and come join us for an evening of poetry.

Hanover

by Clem Worcester

It started snowing in the late afternoon on Monday, May 13, after two days of rain. By the next morning several inches had accumulated. The rain continued most of the day Tuesday and patches of snow remained on the ground until the end of the week. A power failure Monday evening, that lasted about an hour, was blamed on the heavy snow and roads were reported to be very slippery. It was an excellent welcome home gift for those old folks who sneak off to Florida to escape Maine winters.

Clean Up Day got a lot of work done around the Town Office and the boat ramp. Litter was picked up, trees trimmed, leaves raked, branches hauled off and the lawn was mowed. Participating were Bruce Powell, Bob Fortin and his tractor, Pat Monroe, Rita Aromaa, Norman Ferguson, Deidre O'Callaghan and Clem Worcester. Thanks, Deidre, for lunch.

Rumford Fire Department responded to a burning branch that came in contact with wires along Main Street on Tuesday.

Now open for business. On Wednesday, May 15, Debbie and Duke Dupont opened their antique store for the first time. The store, the former Knights of Pythias Hall at 2074 Main Street, has been undergoing alterations since it was purchased last winter.

Mason Township

by Richard Grover

I received my June issue of National Geographic magazine a couple days ago. The article featured on the cover is "D-Day," appropriate for Memorial Day weekend. I read this article and found several interesting facts or incidents that I had not previously known. One of these was a "live fire exercise" and practice landing and beach assault conducted on a beach in England in April 1944, just a few weeks before D-Day. This exercise involved some 30,000 soldiers, sailors and airmen and turned out to be a disaster, when over 900 people were killed. After this fiasco, General Eisenhower was deeply worried about the upcoming Normandy invasion.

I highly recommend the June "Geographic" article for the above story and several other incidents related to D-Day. It helps the reader develop a feeling for the scope of effort and sacrifice our troops and the Navy "Sons of Beaches" faced in overcoming the complex and exceedingly dangerous system of defenses both in the water and on the shorelands abutting the Normandy beaches. I hope these reminders help motivate more of our readers to appreciate the supreme sacrifices made by so many of our service men and women over the years on this weekend's Memorial Day.

On a brighter note, we seem to be getting a little warmer and dryer weather to help motivate all us gardeners to get out and get our hands dirty. My early peas and spinach are just sitting there waiting for the sun to come out.

Last weekend, Mona and I hosted her great-grandson, Boston, from Saturday morning until Sunday evening. I had forgotten how much work and effort goes into watching out for a two-year-old. Boston is a very good boy, but his attention span lasts for about 15 seconds. Then it is time for something else. I found out he does love to go down by the brook and throw rocks and sticks into the water (no surprise here.). Snuffy also likes to go along, wade in the water, and chase the rock splashes. There is also just enough sand to make little roads for a dump truck and to keep Boston busy "shoveling." There is a magical attraction that water, sand and rocks hold for young kids of all ages.

East Bethel

by Nancy Mercer

The barn swallows and hummingbirds are here now. They have not been greeted by very warm weather.

Nina Mollicone will be hosting a Yard Sale at her home on May 26 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hastings of Fryeburg visited Florence Hastings on May 19.

Florence Hastings has a new great-grandson born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morton on May 17.

Clint Schum and his wife are here for the summer from Atlanta, Ga.

Ruby Coolidge and the Scoggin Cloggers performed for the residents of the Veterans' Home in South Paris on May 17. The show was enjoyed.

Pam and Steve Wojtysiak of Westbrook visited Mary Bean on May 19 and Penny and John Kittredge.

Dot Bartlett visited Diane Morris and family in Tallahassee, Fla., for several days recently.

Mrs. Barbara Hamilton and Mrs. Marilyn Trimble of Phoenix, Ariz., visited with Dot Bartlett for several days last week.

The Grange supper schedule is as follows: June 15, chicken pot pie; July 27, cold cuts, baked beans and casseroles; Aug. 17, yard sale and chicken BBQ; Sept. 14, chicken pot pie; Oct. 19, Harvest Supper; and Nov. 9, turkey with all the trimmings.

Have a nice week. God Bless America.

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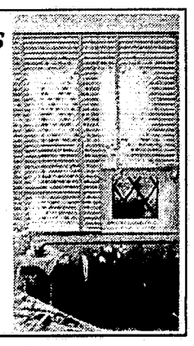

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The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

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I think that hairstyles for both men and women are at their all-time best in the new millennium. Though short hair seems to be the current trend, collar length or long hair are equally in for both sexes. But the main theme is "keep it simple," and I like that.

My daughter was visiting the other day and I was watching her brushing her hair. She moaned and groaned that, "My hair won't do anything right," but the simple truth is that she has collar-length hair that she can wear down, up, part of it pulled back or all of it pulled back. She can, in fact, do just about anything with it.

Teasing hair was an act of self-torture that all us girls of the 60's had to endure to create the bouffant or beehive that we just had to have.

I said nothing because I had vowed I would never hit my kids with, "You think you have it bad. Back in my day..." Haven't we all heard how our parents walked five miles or more to school in a raging blizzard up hill both ways or how our mothers or grandmothers had to wash clothes by banging them on rocks down at the "ole" creek? If I were one of those parents I would have told her that back in my day when I was her age things were a lot different.

Back in my day was the mid-60's when bouffants and beehives were the hairstyles of the day right along with buck bags and angora sweaters. Strict adherence to those styles was a must or you were nowhere.

If you tell a kid of today that you "teased" your hair, they will look at you like you're crazy. I can just hear them, "Sure, what did you do, hide the comb or call your hair names?"

Teasing hair was an act of self-torture that all us girls of the 60's had to endure to create the bouffant or beehive that we just had to have. We started the process just as kids of today do, by shampooing, but that's where the similarity ends.

We didn't have blow dryers or curling irons – we had "brush rollers." Only on Saturdays could we enjoy the luxury of drying our hair, which was accomplished by being attached to the dryer with a long, flexible hose and a plastic cap on our heads. With our tresses rolled tightly in the "brush rollers," drying was a time-consuming ordeal.

It was, however, a much better option than what we had to live with during the week, which was to curl our hair at night, and that meant sleeping on the "brush rollers." Unless you have ever experienced it, you can't even begin to understand what it is like to sleep with bristles and plastic picks sticking into your scalp. I won't even try to describe it because I could not do justice to the pain and discomfort, but I'm sure there are a few readers that know what I am talking about.

When morning came, the hair, if your were lucky, was dry and it was time to take the rollers out, or more precisely, rip the rollers out, because they never just came out. Then it was brush, tease, style and spray. Pretty simple, huh?

To tease the hair you took some hair in hand, extended it out with the hand as far as it would go. With the other hand you would take a comb; it had to be a pretty sturdy comb, and run it through the hair making downward strokes toward the scalp from the end of the extended hair. When this was done, you repeated the process until there was not a strand unteased.

My mother used to say I was making rat's nests on my head, and I suppose if there had been any around they would have found my hair quite inviting.

After the hair was all teased, you brushed and styled, very gently, very, very gently. The goal was to create a smooth, sleek look with the outer hair to conceal the teasing. I usually wore my hair in a beehive which meant pulling the hair back from both sides of the face and twisting one side over the other and rolling it into place and holding it there with a million bobby pins. Do bobby pins still exist? Anyway, after the rolling, tucking and pinning came the hair spray, lots of hair spray, and if there happened to be a special occasion, one could add glitter that would stick to the hair by adding more hair spray.

If this was done right, especially the teasing and brushing part, when you were done you had "height." I was pretty good at it and my hair was usually taller than I was.

I almost forgot about the "spit curls" and clip-on bows. You had to have spit curls which were half-moon type curls in front of each ear and stuck to the side of your face (more hair spray) to which you would attach a pretty little clip on bow that would color coordinate with whatever you were wearing.

What a terrible thing to go through every day you might be thinking to yourself, and of course you would be right. But the real terror came when you had to comb all of that mess out. I'm surprised that I have any hair left at all. I used to go roller-skating every Sunday night and the dust caused by the floor wax would stick to my hair along with the hair spray and glitter. Combing such a mess usually led to tears.

The men may laugh about all of this, but they were not exempt from subjecting themselves to hairstyling rituals with their DA's and flattops. My brother spent more time than I did in front of the mirror with his Brylcream, "a little dab will do ya." He had so much grease and water on his hair that when he walked to school in the winter, he had icicles on his flattop when he got there. And no guy ever went anywhere without a comb in his back pocket which he would pull out and flip through his hair whenever he passed a mirror.

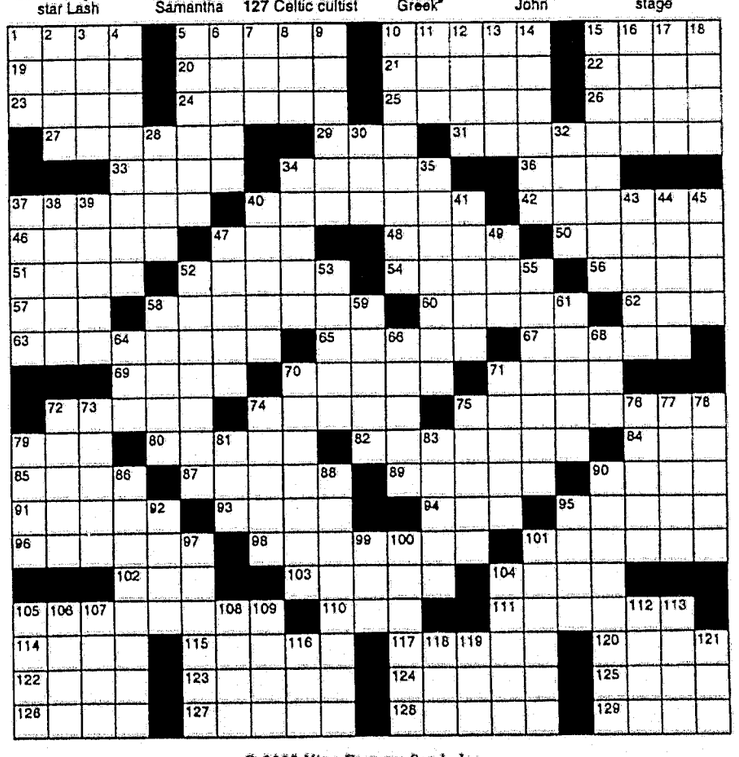
A lot of changes have taken place in hairstyles over the years and we have lived through long, short, teasing, crew cuts, spikes and Mohawks. We have gone beyond the day-glow colors and are now into lightening bolts on the sides and multiple day-glow colors. That's progress? Some men now get their hair done at beauty parlors, though they prefer to say unisex salons. Blow dryers, curling irons, mousse and gel are the hair care products of the day and hopefully a lot easier on the scalp.

The way I see it, the God of Hair is much kinder than when I was a teenager and I like it that way. When I get my hair done I just tell whoever is cutting it to do whatever they think will look good just as long as they don't "tease" it.

Super Crossword

ACROSS
1 Wished undone
5 In fact
10 Vance or McCormick
15 Callao's country
19 Proverb preposition
20 Rene of "Big Trouble"
21 Annual award?
22 Authentic
23 "My —" ('65 hit)
24 Romance
25 Host a roast
26 Forearm bone
27 Monotony
29 States briefly?
31 Hit man
33 Actress Schneider
34 Touches
36 Pecs' partners
37 Clark of "Finian's Rainbow"
40 Usually
42 Considers carefully
46 Bouquet
47 Green and Gore
48 Interstate exit
50 Cowboy star Lash
51 Young boxers
52 Navigation hazards
54 Fireplace fragment
56 Valueless
57 Zoo attraction
58 Greeted the general
60 Jason's wife
62 Ram's remark
63 Acted like a peacock
65 Scoffed at
67 Orchestra section
69 Neighbor of Nev.
70 Keep an eye on
71 Destroy
72 Show indifference
74 Model Beverly
75 "Wall Street Week" host
79 Mauna —
80 Michelangelo work
82 Potsdam pastry
84 Lilly of pharmaceuticals
85 Not give — (be indifferent)
87 Actress Samantha
89 Adjusted an Amati
90 "Educating —" ('83 film)
91 Certain sharks
93 Actress Sharon
94 — -de-lance
95 Jabber away
96 Impacts
98 — oxide
101 Dentistry material
102 Use a phaser
103 Standards
104 Iran's Abolhassan — -Sadr
105 Swedish turnip
110 Trams transport it
111 Like Schonberg's music
114 Turgenev's birthplace
115 Plot
117 Pianist Gould
120 Got off
122 "Zip- — -Doo-Dah"
123 Uneven
124 It comes from the heart
125 Eye drop?
126 Tamblyn or Westover
127 Celtic cultist
128 Pancake topping
129 Stocking shade

DOWN
1 Bad hair, every day?
2 Element
3 Raison d'—
4 Stagnant state
5 Shock
6 Card game
7 Troop grp.
8 Shreveport coll.
9 Nigerian native
10 Animal
11 Root vegetable
12 Costa —
13 Manipulates
14 It has its ups and downs
15 Franco- — War
16 Elver's folks
17 Rampur royalty
18 — Balor
28 Kansas city
30 Big —, CA
32 Explorer Tasman
34 Desirable quality
35 Shut forcefully
37 Irene of "Zorba the Greek"
38 Let out the lava
39 Sot
40 Viva voce
41 Inlay
43 Baby beetles
44 Sinuous dances
45 Actress Ward
47 "Go!" to Gounod
49 Word form for "foot"
52 Exhaustion
53 Smooth transition
55 Told off
58 Play the mandolin
59 Push-buttons' predecessors
61 Sharon of Israel
64 Mideast letters
66 "The Sun Also Rises" heroine
68 Some
70 Semisolid protein
71 More uncouth
72 To date
73 Terse verse
74 Heathen
75 Ancient characters
76 Notre Dame's river
77 Singer John
78 Laughing
79 It becomes ewe?
81 Mil. group
83 Sewell of "A Knight's Tale"
86 Tennis great Pancho
88 Updated the factory
90 Ponder
92 Use a poniard
95 Tahoe town
97 Set apart
99 Registered mail abbr.
100 Zeno's zees
101 Afternoon refresher
104 Swahili, e.g.
105 Serengeti sound
106 Pakistani language
107 Some shirts
108 Teri of "Tootsie"
109 Hunt's "— Ben Adhem"
112 Composer Wilder
113 Inventive sort?
116 "A Fool Such —" ('59 hit)
118 Powell co-star
119 Muff
121 Capote, on stage



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ANSWERS—Page 6

North Newry

by
Gil Seeley

Mr. and Mrs. George Romano in Wiscasset hosted a Mother's Day feast for some of their relatives, Ras and Karlene Bachelder, George's son and wife and their two children, Michelle and Paul Josephson and their two children, Julie Littlefield and her two children and Gil Seeley. George cooked the meal and Paul baked the cake. A good time was had by all.

Snow in the middle of May and an earthquake in California. What else can we expect this year? Another earthquake in the middle of next month? And maybe some snow? Expect the unexpected. Anything can happen.

BRIDGET'S SCHOOL OF DANCE will present "Proud to be an American" on Sunday, June 2 at 2:30 p.m. at Gould Academy's Bingham Auditorium. Pictured above (from left): Heather Zimmerman, Cassie Mason, Sarah Gamble, Michelle Deegan, Jessie Adams, and Miss Bridget, kneeling.

Upton

by
Eleanor LeComte

Birds, Birds, Birds. Upton is for the Birds. Maybe it could be the lingering cold weather that brought them here. They seem to be in a holding pattern. The weather up north must be worse than here. Bird brains are smarter than ours. There are very few leaves on the shrubs and trees, making for clearer visibility. Whatever it is, they are eating us out of house and home. The telephone has been very busy with reports of unusual bird sightings, and these folks are pretty "bird savvy." East "B" Hill, Back Street, Thistle Street and down on the lake have been host to some wonderful feathered friends.

Jeanette Roy gave me a list of 23 different birds. The Rectors, the Roys and the Angevines have been having routine visits from the orioles. These birds have devoured many oranges, right down to the rind. Marty Edwards has identified a Wood Thrush feeding in her dooryard. She also has five deer casually dropping by. Down on the lake we are plagued with flocks of beautiful squawking blue jays. There isn't anyone that remembers seeing such large numbers in the area. The warblers are passing through on schedule. We are on the Eastern Flyway for warblers, according to William Brewster's "Birds of Lake Umbagog."

The cold put the bug population on hold so the birds are visiting the peanut butter feeders.

Buster Williamson, Richard and I watched a Black-throated Blue Warbler devouring peanut butter on Sunday. He is a very small, beautiful little guy. His back is very dark blue. The throat and head are black, and the under parts are pure white. A small white dot is at the distal part of his wings. Evelyn Kenney and Ginny Williamson have had visits from the same bird.

The selectmen met at the Town Office this week and the salted sand shed was the major topic discussed.

The Scenic Byway Committee met on May 16. Members present were: Chairman Mike Broderick, Sue Nelson, Grafton Park Ranger John Metcalf, Sylvia Gray, Audrey Brooks and Ellie LeComte. It was a very interesting meeting. Signage to be placed along the route was discussed. Informational and historical signs were studied. The signs will be placed at strategic places along Route 26 at Bear River, Grafton State Park, the site of the former town of Grafton and the Appalachian Trail. Grafton held particular interest to the group since this once thriving little town is a place with no residents, but a heck of a lot of trees. The area was geographically unsuited for supporting human life. Farming and forestry were its only assets. Frosts 12 months of the year and intensive tree harvesting made it a town destined for a poor future. An occasional stone foundation or lilac bush are all that is left of what was home to 115 people in 1880. The cemetery is a bleak reminder that this was so. The trees are growing back. It is a wildflower delight and home to our moose in the summer months. They will state this on the signage but in a lot fewer words than "yours truly" is capable of. We hope the signs will be erected some time this season.

Evelyn and Jim Kenney attended the wedding of Jonn and Jaime Austin at the Dixville Church on the Hill on Saturday, May 18. Jaime is Evelyn's granddaughter. The happy couple left for their honeymoon in a vintage Corvette restored by Jaime's dad, Mike Thomas.

How can we name the "Bird of Week" with so many feathered guests in the area. Go ahead and pick your own. My choice is the rooster on the weathervane that blew down in this marvelous spring weather.

Super Crossword
Answers

RUED TRULY CYRUS PERU
UNTO RUSSO RAISE REAL
GIRL AMOUR EMCEE ULNA
TEDIUM USA ASSASSIN
ROMY ABUTS ABS
PETULA ASARULE WEIGHS
AROMA ALS RAMP LARUE
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BRUNTS NITROUS CEMENT
ZAP NORMS BANI
RUTABAGA ORE ATONAL
OREL CABAL GLENN ALIT
ADEE EROSE AORTA TEAR
RUSS DRUID SYRUP ECRU

Andover

by
Joan Stinson Carney

This is part of what living in a small town means. In my May 9th column I asked if anyone had a refrigerator that they would care to donate to The Friends of the Town Hall. Later that same week, Peggy Madigan, who is one of the "Friends" was at work when this couple came in and asked her what kind of refrigerator she wanted because they were on their way over to buy one and wanted to make sure they got what she needed. Can you believe that? Thank you Pete and Wanda Coolidge, your generosity is totally, totally "cool." The new upstairs kitchen at the Town Hall is going to be great.

And that's not all, Cindy Gammon's father, Thomas Conley, of Rumford, has also donated a used refrigerator; so within two weeks, thanks to the generosity of wonderful Andover citizens our Town Hall is going to be able to keep things "chillin" all summer.

Baccalaureate Sunday at the Andover Congregational Church will be this Sunday, May 26 at 10 a.m. All seniors should be at the church by 9:45 please.

Don't forget that the Andover Alumni Banquet is this Saturday, May 25, at the Grammar School Gym. Happy Hour at five; Dinner at six. See you there.

Has anyone in the area seen a Nodding Trillium? Penny Poor has found one and wants to know if there are more. I guess this is a rare flower, and would you please call Penny at 392-1502 if you have sighted any. It's a miracle that any flower is blooming now because of Old Man Winter refusing to go away, just go away. This time last year the lilacs were out. Believe me I'm so glad to see any flowers at all that even the Dandy Lions look really nice to me this year. Why do people hate Dandy Lions anyway? I think they give a lawn sparkle, all green can be pretty dull if you think about it.

Phyllis and Leon Simmons are back from wintering in Florida; I hope they brought some warm days with them.

Okay, the next question that I'm going to ask is very, very, very important, so heads up. Who killed Jordan's mother? Was anyone lucky enough to see last week's TV show Crossing Jordan? It was the season finale and of course our cable went out and I missed it. I am so mad — Monday night is just about the only night I watch TV. I like Third Watch and of course Crossing Jordan and missed both final episodes. As a matter of fact, last Monday evening was really the pits for me come to think of it. I missed my shows; the number for Adelphia is 1-800-336-8899 by the way. I know it by heart because I must have called it about 20 times — always busy, busy. Anyway, since I couldn't watch TV, I decided to play Solitaire on the computer and guess what, I was winning over $700 when the lights went out. Now this never happens, me winning that much at Solitaire I mean, the lights go out at least once a week, so I lost over 700 pretend dollars, don't know who killed Jordan's mother, and am running low on candles, but I'm having fun.

Birthdays for the following week include Lauren Grace Sterling, Ida Davis and Barb Sabin on the 24th, Marty Morgan, Thomas Morton and Lisa Young on the 25th, Cassidy Mosher and Nicole Ripper on the 26th, Paula Smith, Jim Coolidge, and Amy Thurston on the 27th, A.J. Carrier, Jim Bodwell, and Stacey Chenery on the 28th. Josh Palmer, Darryl Wells and Cheryl Morin on the 29th, and Brock Jolicoeur on the 30th. Happy Birthday everyone. David and Philena will celebrate an anniversary on the 29th. Philena, you deserve a gold medal.

The word of the week is "casuistry." Look it up. Have a safe and happy Memorial Day. See "ya."

Locke Mills

by
Lorraine Larson

Andy and I were in Lewiston Tuesday and had lunch with Fritz and Norma Peterson and May Milliard, Norma's daughter, and then took May to CMMC where she was undergoing tests. She said she passed out during a routine mammogram and when she woke up four doctors were standing around her bed and all her children were there — six, I believe. Anyhow, now they are trying to determine just what caused what they believe was a small stroke. It complicates things that she has multiple sclerosis. When I called Thursday evening she was going in for an MRI at 7:30 p.m., which seems an odd time to be going unless it was on an emergency basis. Since she needed to go right off, I didn't hold her. I will find out in due time, I'm sure. When we were there Tuesday, Norma had just had laser surgery on her right eye. She said after we left she slept all afternoon; not surprising, since any procedure done when one is 88 must be very tiring.

I had my annual checkup Friday and Wednesday went for a battery of blood tests after a 14-hour fast. The wit in the lab said the doctor might just as well have checked all of them, it wouldn't have taken any more blood. The person who took the blood was very good. I hardly felt anything and it did not leave its usual black and blue spot.

Even though it has been a weird spring, we have many more birds this year than last. We have swallows vying for our two birdhouses. There is the resident pair of Canada geese, at least two, and maybe up to four nesting mallard ladies and this year there are three mallard drakes coming to feed. There is one pair of wood ducks and a couple buffleheads. They are so cute and have a long, pointed bill. Today, we got an influx of birds, three kinds of sparrows, juncos, finches and I think chickadees. I was sure there were chickadees because I heard their call, until I realized it was my bird clock telling me it was two o'clock. We already have blackbirds nesting across the way. Of course the babies may all be brought out in the midst of a snowstorm. Who knows these days.

I talked with Marcia today, as I wanted to find out how she is enjoying jury duty. She said so far she hasn't sat on any but is going to Houlton to serve there. She wasn't very happy to have to travel the 40 miles; but at least she can stay with her in-laws. It was really sort of weird. She had to change her vacation here to an earlier date because of jury duty. My cousin, Frank Flint, planned to come to Maine in two weeks and he just got called for jury duty then. Must be something that runs in the family.

I thought I'd be smart and do my news on the computer but I could not get the margins right and one line might take off all by itself and put itself in a wrong place. No doubt if I knew what to tell it to do it might be better, but it seemed to have ideas of its own. Clippit tried to help and, although I enjoy his antics, his ideas didn't help much. I tried one suggestion I got in computer class, which worked perfectly well there, but completely deleted everything I had written when I tried it here at home. I guess it is time to holler for help from my sister-in-law, Callie Colby. Since she is closer than Ralph or Marcia, she is often called on to get me out of my tight spots.

I was very sorry to hear about the death of Travis Buck. Travis grew up around here and it is always difficult when those we watched

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grow up are taken from us. The town offers its sincerest sympathy to his parents and other relatives and friends.

Those of us who know Norma and Albert Buck were very sorry to hear of the death of their daughter, Nancy. She went to school at the same time my children were there and we all offer her parents and other relatives our sincerest sympathy also.

Bryant Pond

by Alice Hoyt

Patch the Pirate Club meets each Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. at the Baptist Church, same time as prayer meeting. Sunday services are Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 5 p.m. and evening service at 6 p.m. Looking ahead will be Revival meetings with Evangelist Lin Croxton on June 2 to 7.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Merle Ring.

On Mother's Day, the family of Beatrice Farnum met at Beth, Steve and Marybeth Hoover's for a cookout and potluck. Those present were Leatrice and John Chase; Althea, Robert, Jennifer and Daniel Stevens; Richard, Teressa, Michael and Hunter Chase; Andrew, Rhonda and Liza Chase and Rhonda's parents, Alice and Ken Hoyt; Beatrice Farnum; Beth, Steve and Marybeth Hoover; JoAnn, David, Ray and Shawn Crockett; and Robert Hoyt. A good time was had by all.

Remember the Memorial Day program, sponsored by the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War at the honor roll on Monday, May 27 at 1 p.m., will be a parade to cemetery and back, speaker, band, essay by school children, Lincoln's Gettysburg Address and General Logan's Orders.

Greenwood City

by Rena Curtis

Once again Mother's Day has been celebrated. How fortunate people are that still have their mothers to enjoy.

Leonas and Fay Holt, their daughter, Ann Paine, and David and Sally Holt and their daughter, May, all enjoyed Mother's Day having dinner at the Trolley House in Norway. Then they went over to see Colista Morgan. She is same as usual.

Eleanor and Milton Inman, their son, Gary, and his girls, Caili and Ani, went down to Gray to the Animal Park. They had a picnic lunch and enjoyed the day.

Lillian and Glenn Strait and Colista and Stephen Cogswell from Freeport brought their campers up and had their first camping trip for the season. Had a large crowd here on Saturday. There were 27 including six of my children, their husbands, wives and children and also several friends. We had a buffet lunch.

Tuesday, my oldest son, Walter, came from Kingsbury for a short visit. My son, Kenneth, called me from Kentucky. Always glad to hear from them.

We had to have some more snow, but of course it didn't last. It sure rained hard later so it didn't last.

Marie and Akala, her granddaughter, and I went to Auburn today. We had errands to do. It was very windy and cool.

Carl Curtis was home for the weekend. He had to go back Sunday in the storm.

Everyone have a good week.

South Woodstock

by Andrea Wing

Much sympathy to the family and friends of Merle Ring Sr., who died this past week. Merle was well known in Woodstock and other areas and will be missed by all who knew him.

A good crowd attended the 40th year in business party held at Hadley's Garage in South Woodstock. The business is owned by Erlon and MaudeAlice Hadley. Many attended to wish them luck in the future and visit for a while. Congratulations.

Carol Hall of Phippsburg, previously from this area, had a harrowing experience about a week ago. Carol works at the Gardiner Savings Bank in Bath. A man came into the bank demanding money from Carol at gunpoint. She told him she didn't have any so he went to another employee who worked there and she gave him some money. He was caught a while later.

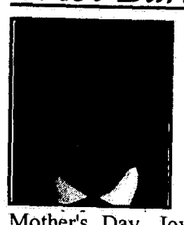
On Mother's Day, our son and wife, Rick and Sally Wing, Bridgton, came over for a visit. Later in the day our daughter and husband, Kellie and Brad Record and my great-grandson, Zachary, came by for a Mother's Day visit. We had a good time catching up a bit.

I received calls around Mother's Day from my sisters, Dotte Critser, Tempe, Ariz., and Evelyn Dunn, Campton, N.H. wishing me a happy Mother's Day. It's nice to be remembered.

For Mother's Day, Dennis and Debbie Poland had their mothers, Tommy Poland and Pat Bedard, to their home for a lobster treat. Later they all went out for ice cream. All of Tommy's other four children stopped by sometime during the day.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned that horsepower is something that was much safer when only horses had it."

West Paris



by Miriam Inman

Jude and Peggy Lamb of Augusta had dinner with their mother, Joyce Lamb, on Mother's Day. Joyce reports that her great-grandson, Joshua Hyssong, is well now. Mother Nina is back teaching and Joshua is going to daycare.

The Old Home Days will be in full swing starting on Friday night with a parade followed by a supper at the Historical Society building and dancing to the music of The Parisians after supper. The Goodwill Fellowship group will be selling fried dough during the weekend.

O'Neil Mills is recuperating at home following hip surgery.

Eleanor Bunker and son, Steve, of North Conway, N.H., have been visiting her sister, Lee Dean.

Arnold and Sally Cram took his grandmother, Arlene Farr, and his mother, Maxine Cram, out to dinner on Mother's Day.

I hope the hummingbirds don't go to warmer places, due to the chilly weather. It was 30 degrees here this morning.

West Paris

by Bertha DeHaas

Deanna Waterhouse of South Paris was accepted at Northeastern University in Boston, Mass. This was Deanna's first choice and she will be attending the fall semester. She will graduate June 8 from Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School.

On Saturday, May 11, Deanna and friend, Brandon Hodgden, attended a 73rd birthday party/cookout for her grandfather, Pastor Lloyd Waterhouse, held at Gail Boutilier's home in West Paris. Happy Birthday, Lloyd.

On Tuesday, the Ladies Guild of West Paris Baptist Church met at the beautiful home of Maurice and Jim Veatch, High Street.

At noon on Thursday, the West Paris Agnes L. Gray School Glee Club performed at the Bryant Pond Senior Citizens lunch held at Franklin Grange Hall on Main Street.

In the afternoon of Thursday, Norway Grange held a marvelous Open House.

On Saturday, the Ladies Guild of the West Paris Baptist Church held their annual Mother-Daughter Banquet at Market Square Restaurant.

West Paris Grange 298 will hold their monthly public supper at their hall from 5 to 6 p.m. ($5 for adults and $2.50 for children under 12).

On Monday, May 27, the West Paris Memorial Day parade lineup will be at 10:30 a.m. with step-off time at 11 a.m. We will meet on Maple Street as usual. In case of rain, we shall meet at the West Paris Grange Hall on Church Street.

East Stoneham

by Eleanor Nelson

Hi readers. Once again I opened my big mouth and said I'd volunteer to campaign for the American Diabetes Association. By now, you should have gotten my letters to you, and thank you for responding. It is for a good cause, like cancer research and Red Cross. I've done this for several years now.

May 26 is Stoneham Church Memorial Day worship and special program put on by Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Hannah F. Richardson Tent 19.

Recently, Joel Barker got together with Boy Scout Troop 155 and cleaned up an old cemetery way in the woods in Stoneham. This is the Great Brook Cemetery and was in pretty bad shape and needed a lot of work. Many large trees had fallen on the path and in the cemetery and had to be removed and cleared away and stones to be straightened. This is part of Joel's Eagle Scout Project. There are about 18 boys from age 12 to 18 in this group and they learn to work together and develop leadership skills. This was quite a challenge and they have done a real good job. Community service is part of scouting. In three years they have had three Eagle Scouts, and Joel is well on his way to becoming one.

Oxford County Republicans met Tuesday, May 14, at the Wilkins House in Waterford with 5:30 p.m. social hour and 6:30 p.m. supper that was put on by the Hannibal Hamlin Women's Club, which was good as usual. Chairman Paul Billings introduced the speaker of the evening, Mr. Ed. McLaughlin of the Maine Economic Research Institute. Also speaking during the evening were Tom Winsor, Rob Cameron, Norm Ferguson, Ted Heidrich, Arlan Jodrey and Stavros Mendors. The next Oxford County Republican supper and meeting will be held at the Stoneham Congregational Church on June 4. Hope to see you all there. The supper is being put on by the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War Tent 19.

On May 26, Stoneham Rescue will be putting on their annual Pancake Breakfast at the Rescue Barn at 7 a.m. This is always good. See you there. They serve 7 to 10 a.m.

On May 15, nine members of the East Stoneham Congregational Church met at the vestry for regular meeting and to discuss the upcoming suppers for the summer. I believe the first one will be on July 11. The Thrift and Bake sales do start on June 1. These always do quite well thanks to all who work on them and to those who donate and come to buy the goodies.

The hummingbirds are here. I was ready for them this year.

Albany

by Dana & Sheila Dyke

Greetings from Albany. Despite colds and dreary weather, we hope that everyone had a wonderful weekend. It was very nice to see the sunshine this week, and we hope that spring will decide to stay and not dump any more snow on us.

Carlton Rugg is back home, at least until August when he goes back out to finish the Maine end of the Appalachian Trail. Until then, we're pretty sure that everyone will be keeping him busy until he leaves. Dana wants to go on the trip, too, but Carlton's planning on being out a month. While Dana can do it, Sheila would have a difficult time.

Annika Barton sang during church services, and Fellowship followed. Afterward, the Ladies Circle Meeting was held. During the meeting we discussed this summer's church suppers, yard sales, and other events that go on in Albany. Margaret Barton let us know that the first Albany yard sale (held at the Town Hall) will most likely be June 29th.

Annika Barton, Ashley Sabin, and Marissa Corriveau each celebrated birthdays this past week. Jeff and Sue Barton celebrated their 7th anniversary. Congratulations to everyone,

Many of the Youth Group and their families went out on Sunday to listen to Diane Muise sing. Dyana came back and told us that they had a wonderful time, and that when Diane had the audience join in to sing "Jesus Loves Me" she noted that several, including Dyana, were singing in sign language, and she had them come up on stage to "sing" along. We had wanted to go as well, but we're two of those fighting colds and didn't feel up to it. We are hoping to get out to see her soon.

The Youth Group's closing will be this Friday at the church. They will sing a couple of songs and give testimony before their friends and families. There will also be refreshments. We hope that everyone will be able to make it out to see the kids. They've worked very hard this past season, and this means a lot to them — not only the finale to their meetings until school starts, but also the sharing of what this has meant to them. We hope that many of the kids will still participate in the Music Program (which now looks like there will be rehearsals on Sundays following church) as well as the other lessons we're planning for the summer. Holle Corriveau will be teaching us all how to sew, starting in a couple of weeks. On Saturday, the Youth Group will be going to Fun Town for Christian music and lots of fun (Jam Fest). A reminder to meet at the church at 8:30 on Saturday morning.

Best wishes for a happy and safe week.

From the

Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

This is the last week to be able to make your reservations for the 33rd annual Awards Dinner, to be held on Friday, May 31, at the Grand Summit Hotel at Sunday River Ski Resort. A full buffet dinner is $26.50 per person or you may reserve a table of 8 for $200. Come join with us as we honor the excellence that is manifested through the efforts of the award recipients. The awards are: David Murphy, Henry H. Hastings Award for Citizenship; Ruth Grover/Ruthie's, Business of the Year; Bob Coolidge, Lifetime Achievement Award; Jim Young, Public Service Award; Y. Leon Favreau, Forest Products Industry Award; Dave Conary, Past President's Award; Marjorie Osgood, Service Employee of the Year; Brian Dunham, Ski Services Employee of the Year; Catherine S-C Newell, Education Employee of the Year; Lorraine Sumner, Hospitality Employee of the Year; Brendon and Jean Bass, Special Recognition Award; and a surprise Volunteer of the Year Award.

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Many thanks to our faithful volunteers, Dave Freiday who recently spent a few hours in the office putting a new desk together, as well as Ginny Walker who helped us collate our May newsletter last week. We sure do appreciate the help.

From the

Jackson-Silver Auxiliary

May 2 was the date for the Installation of Officers for the coming year. Before that ceremony, Amy Stevens, leader of Brownie Scout Troop 706 of Bryant Pond, several of her helpers and seven Brownies were recognized as guests, and a new United States flag and staff were presented to them as a gift from the auxiliary.

Jeri Greenwell, with the help of Ramona Grover, then installed Leah Deegan as president, Nancy Grover as 2nd vice president, Olive Risko as secretary, Florence (Honey) Bailey as treasurer, Helvi Cary as chaplain, Rowena Dunham as historian, Sylvia Dunham and Edith Morey as members of the executive committee.

At the meeting that followed, it was announced that those attending Girls State this year would be Kristina Koskela and Amanda Dunham, and a committee was appointed to review the applications for $500 in college scholarships. It was also learned that Sally Smith, with her daughter, Koral Kimball, Joan and Jillian Kimball had earned $300 for the March of Dimes with the cakes that they had been making and raffling each week.

Application for membership was received from Debra Vachon.

When the unit met again, on May 16, Martha Stowell was installed as 1st vice president by Sylvia Dunham. Members accepted the recommendation of the Scholarship Committee and these will be presented by President Leah Deegan on June 4 at the Awards Night at the school.

Nancy Grover had baked many cookies for the gathering of Special Olympians in South Paris on June 4, and Sylvia Dunham and Olive Risko had attended a School of Instruction in Bethel on that date. They encourage other members to attend when more sessions are held. Also at this meeting a monetary gift was voted for each of the Junior members who are graduating from high school this year, and each Junior member who has recently turned 18 years old will have their dues paid for their first year as Senior members.

Members will be going to Newry Town Office on Sunday, May 26, for 11 a.m. Memorial Services. The next day, ceremonies begin at 8:40 a.m. at the Locke Mills Legion Hall, with the parade leaving at 9 a.m. to the Veterans' Memorial and Locke Mills cemetery. Coffee and doughnuts will be served afterward at the hall. This will be followed with services at East Bethel, and in the afternoon at Bryant Pond. Long-time Poppy Chairman Vera Cross and Miss Poppy, Hannah Lyon, will have the Memorial poppies available, and it is hoped that everyone will wear one to show they care.

The supper/dance held on May 14 was a success, and the auxiliary thanks so much the people who furnished door prizes. Another will be held on June 11 when the dance music will be by The Parisians.

From the

Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

All SAD44 elementary students (Grades 1-6) are reminded that their entries must be at the Robinson House, 10 Broad Street, by 3 p.m. on Friday, May 24, to be considered for the 23rd annual Faye Taylor Memorial Art Show. All entries must relate in some way to the 2002 theme, "Celebration of the Horse in 19th Century Rural Life." All questions should be directed to the society office at 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910.

The Bethel Historical Society's annual St. Never's Day Sale to benefit the capital campaign will be held on the Robinson House side porch, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, May 25. Anyone with donations of items in good condition (no clothing, please) should leave them on the porch or call 824-2908 for pick-up. Volunteers are needed to help price items on Friday, May 24, and assist with the sale on Saturday. Please call the society office to offer volunteer assistance.

From the

Bethel Library

The Bethel Library is once again gearing up for the annual perennial plant sale. All proceeds from the sale help to purchase new adult and children's books, books on tape and videos. The sale will be held June 1 from 9 to 10 a.m. at the side lawn of the library. All local gardeners are asked to help provide treasures from their gardens. Please pot the plants at least one week in advance of the sale in order to give the plants time to recuperate. If you need help digging or would like pots and/or labels, please get in touch with our committee chairs, Melody Bonnema at 824-0405, Betsy Raymond at 824-2261 or Shelley Douglass at 824-3203.

The plant committee would like to give a big thank you to Norm Davis for selling plants throughout the year and for donating the proceeds to help offset the startup costs for the sale. Norm, thank you.

Please note that Friday hours for the library are now 1 to 5 p.m.

From the

Ellis River Riders

The Ellis River Riders held their first show Sunday, May 19, at their show grounds in Andover. There were 55 horses showing in open and gymkhana classes. The Ellis River Riders have many shows scheduled for this season and offer Leadline, Walk-Trot, Senior Novice and Senior classes. Something for everyone.

The public is invited to come and watch the shows. We have seating for spectators; we offer wonderful food at the "Feed Bag" restaurant; a covered picnic area is available with tables, etc. Admission for the public is free, and it is a great outing for the whole family. We also have a pole barn for the show horses and camping sites are available for those who want to spend the night. So, join us at our next shows, June 8 for a Gymkhana show and June 9 for an Open show.

You can visit us at the www.ellisriverriders.com site and learn more about our facilities and get the latest show results. You will also find the trail rides schedule for this season. Come ride with us.

On June 1, the Ellis River Riders will host a St. Jude's Charity trail ride, starting at the show grounds in Andover. All proceeds will go to the St. Jude's Charity Fund. If you are interested in riding, contact Kate Slattery at 836-3217 to get your sponsor sheets.

From the

Bethel Rotary Club

This week, Rotary was Club Assembly. Janet Black, chair of Club Service Committee, updated us on the upcoming Bring a Friend to Rotary. Kevin Finley, from the Scholarship Committee, reported that Rotary would be able to match two Telstar Presidential Awards this year.

Reporting for the Vocational Service Committee, Dan Hart reminded us of our four candidates heading to RYLA in late June. The committee is still accepting nominations for the Vocation Service Award and the committee will be exploring a mentoring program.

Chair Dawna Cook, of the International Service Committee, recapped the recent GSE visit and said that Quartermaster Dave Nivus had returned from the Bolivian Rotoplast trip and that Mission Leader Mike Liberti will be returning at the end of the week. We look forward to hearing about their trip.

The Community Service Committee reported that they are leaning toward participating in this year's Art Fair and Harvestfest with a food booth.

Walter Hatch recounted his work to date on the clock project. At this time, all the project information has been submitted to Key Bank's corporate headquarters for consideration. This project will also be an item on the Bethel Selectmen's upcoming agenda.

Guest Jeri Greenwell accepted a contribution from the Bethel Rotary Club on behalf of the American Legion for Boys and Girls State. Jeri shared some background and information on the Boys/Girls State programs. Boys State started in 1935 with Girls State following in 1938. These programs offer the students firsthand knowledge of our legislative process. They learn it by living and doing it from the local level on up to the state level. The process is pretty comprehensive with even campaigning and elections.

Students qualify for Boys/Girls State in their junior year of high school and are nominated by guidance or the principals' offices. Students are selected for their scholastics, leadership and overall well-being.

The annual Rotary Auction will be Saturday, June 22. If you have any items that you would like to donate and have picked up, please contact Rotarian Al Barth.

The seventh annual Bethel Rotary Golf Challenge will be Monday, June 24. This event features an 18-hole four-ball scramble format at The Bethel Inn and Country Club. Registration begins at noon with a 1 pm Shotgun start. FMI, sponsorship opportunities, and tournament entry, please call 824-4500.

Inside Rotary: Thanks Dan Pattee for participating in Camp Sunshine cleanup. Good to see Casey Cramton. Welcome home college kids for the summer. Thank you Bethel Historical Society for the scrumptious breakfast.

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KICKOFF FOR AN EXPANDED MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE— Miss Poppy, Rachael M. Wheeler, presented Town Manager Scott Cole with a poppy Tuesday. Rachael is the daughter of Timothy and Stacey Brown Wheeler. She is 7 years old and is a member of Mrs. Salway's first-grade class at Crescent Park School. Her mother was in Desert Storm with the U.S. Army Reserves. She is the granddaughter of Marilyn Wheeler Estrada and the late Roger Wheeler and Walter and Rhonda Brown Mitchell and is the great-granddaughter of Virginia and the late Merton "Onion" Brown, who served in the U.S. Army during WWII. Uncles and great-uncles who served in the military are: Chester Wheeler, U.S. Army in Viet Nam; Reginald Brown, retired, Army Reserves; Chester (Ted) Wheeler, U.S. Army officer in WWII; Albert (Abe) Wheeler, U.S. Army officer in WWII; John Andrews, U.S. Air Force in Korean War; and Richard Andrews, U.S. Army in WWII. Rachael will take part in Bethel's Memorial Day observance, which this year will include several new features. "We're trying to recreate interest in the real meaning of Memorial Day," said Don Feeney of the Mundt-Allen American Legion Post. This year, the ceremony at the Bethel Common will include the reading of the names, age, and service branch of all 22 Bethel men killed in the wars of the 20th century. In addition, organizers are trying to get more veterans to take part in the parade and ceremony. For veterans who would find it difficult to march the length of Main Street, jeep rides are offered. There will also be special seating at the common. Any veteran interested in riding in the parade is asked to call Fred Burke at 824-2886 or Richard Farren at 836-2725. They need not be a Legion member to participate. Veterans who wish to march in the parade may gather at the Civil War monument on Main Street for the 11 a.m. parade. *(Photo by Michael Daniels)*

Sports

High School Varsity Baseball

Telstar 13, Dirigo 4; May 17—Telstar's Matt Newell had a three-run home run and Josh Aylward pitched a complete game in a win over Dirigo. Brian Zinchuk had a double for two RBIs.

High School J.V. Baseball

Telstar 19, Dirigo 1; May 16—Telstar's Josh Longway tossed a no-hitter against Dirigo, striking out five. August Reiss was 1-for-2, with a home run and two RBIs; Peter Poor had a triple and two RBIs; Longway a single and two RBIs; Chris Estes went 3-for-4 with two singles an a double, with four RBIs; and Kevin Zinchuk was 1-for-1 with an RBI.

High School Varsity Softball

Telstar 7, Carrabec 6; May 20—Telstar's Mariah Seames pitched a strong game and the defense, led by Lauren Hart, shut down the Cobras as the Rebels rallied for a win at Carrabec. Ashley Stambolis, Samm Ladd, Hart and Meagan Lunney paced the offense with two hits each. Lunney had three RBIs and scored the game-winning run in the seventh inning on a base hit by Ladd. The Rebels held off the Cobras in the bottom of the seventh as they rallied to load the bases with one out. Seames got the last two batters to hit ground balls and the Rebel defense came up with the plays to preserve the win.

Dirigo 16, Telstar 4; May 17—Dirigo broke open a close game by scoring nine runs in the sixth. Ashley Stambolis and Mariah Seames each had two hits for Telstar. Errors and walks contributed to the Cougars' big inning.

Telstar 9, Boothbay 7; May 15—Telstar's Becca Swan and Mariah Seames combined on a seven-hitter as Telstar won its first softball game. Santana Wilson scored three runs and had two hits to lead the offense. Ashley Stambolis, Meagan Lunney and Krystle Gould also had two hits each. The defense played well and denied the Seahawks any scoring opportunities in the last two innings.

High School Boys' Track

Mountain Valley Conference Championship at Cony, May 20—Telstar placed eighth out of 14 teams with 36 points. Fred Bailey won the 3,200m and placed fourth and sixth, respectively, in the 1,600 and 800. Joe Reynolds was fourth in the 400m., and Mike Hoy fourth in the 200. The team of Reynolds, Hoy, Dustin Angevine and Glen Carver placed second in the 4x400, and the team of Reynolds, Angevine, Bailey and Matt Mills placed third in the 4x800 in a new school record of 9:08.61.

High School Girls' Track

Mountain Valley Conference Championship at Cony, May 20— The Telstar girls' team placed fourth out of 14 schools, with 65 points. Anna Willard won the 800m, 1,600m and 3,200m, while Katie Wight won the 400m and placed second in the 200 and discus and fourth in the 100m. Megan Bailey was sixth in the 400. Heather Zimmerman finished fifth in the 1,600 and sixth in the 3,200. The team of Bailey, Howe, Zimmerman and Willard placed sixth in the 4x100.

TMS Baseball

Telstar 10, Tripp 2; May 20—Telstar's Kevin Gallagher had a two-RBI single in the second inning and Blake Conrad and Curtis Hughes had two hits each in a win over Tripp. Steve McDonnell, Nathan Walker and Hughes combined pitching to shut down Tripp. Telstar was down 6-3 going into the sixth inning, and launched a seven-run scoring rally. "The pitchers have worked hard to improve all season," said coach Tim O'Connor.

TMS Softball

Telstar 23, Tripp 0; May 20—Telstar came out swinging all seven innings, with a home run by Jessie Farrington and multiple hits by Danna Wilson, Jillian Kimball, Chelsea Cozzalino, Kara Thurlow and Kayla Mills. Farrington pitched a four-inning shutout, striking out five. Joseline Belanger pitched the last three innings to finish the game.

Telstar 10, Livermore Falls 5; May 16—Telstar's Jillian Kimball struck out seven batters to shut down undefeated Livermore. Backing up Kimball on defense were Tiffany Jorden, Kayla Mills, and Vicki Rice. Mills, Liz Rosenberg, Jessie Farrington, Kara Thurlow and Kimball led the offense with strong hitting and base running.

TMS Boys' Track

Meet at Oxford Hills with Brunswick, Lew., Poland; May 9—Individual Telstar results: Josh Tibbetts, first, shotput (32 ft.); Kamden Burke, second, discus (103 ft. 4 in.); Will Carver, fourth, 1,600m (5:44.62); Charles Haines, fifth, discus (73 ft.); Jason McAvoy, third, 800m (2:48.88), fourth, 400m (1:06.40); Charles Parsons, third, high jump (5 ft.), third, discus (87 ft. 3 in.); Jonathon Parsons, second, triple jump (27 ft.); team of Carver, C. Parsons, Dan Ojeda, Mike Griswold, third, 4x100 relay (56.86); team of Carver, Griswold, Tibbetts, Jason Howe, third, 4x400 relay (4:49.06).

TMS Girls' Track

Meet at Oxford Hills with Brunswick, Lewiston, Poland; May 9—Individual results: Marya Brooks, fourth, 800m (3:24.56), fifth, 1,600m (7:26.37); Kristie Carver, third, 800m (3:21.6); Kayla Damon, fourth, 400m (1:15.31); Kayla Day, second, high jump (4 ft. 2in.); Naomi Fraser, third, shotput (24 ft. 6 in.); Heather Gionet, fourth, discus (55 ft.); Abby Wentworth, fifth, 400m (1:16.87); team of Wentworth, Day, Damon, Lauren McAllister, fourth, 4x100 relay (1:01.00); team of Carver, Nicole Gaidis, Tonie Morin, Caiti Shimamura, fourth, 4x400 relay (6:08.00).

Climbing

BIG Adventure climbing team competition at Queensbury, N.Y.; May 18—Individual results: Amy Ford and Tom Coolidge, first. Charles Parsons and Troy Murphy, second; Seana Siekman and Jenna Mawhinney, third; Ian Siekman, fourth; Evan Boelsma, ninth; Jonathon Parsons; 10th; Alex Gundersen, 11th; Andrew Gundersen, 12th.

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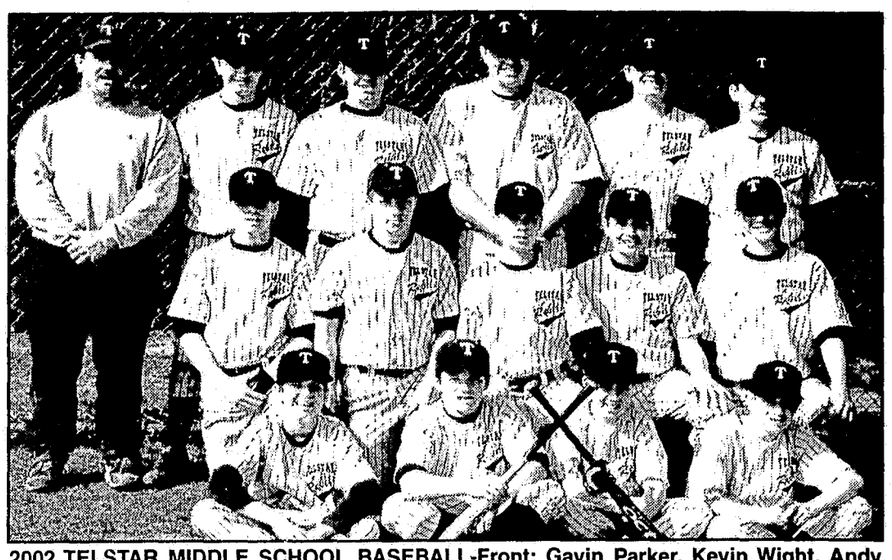
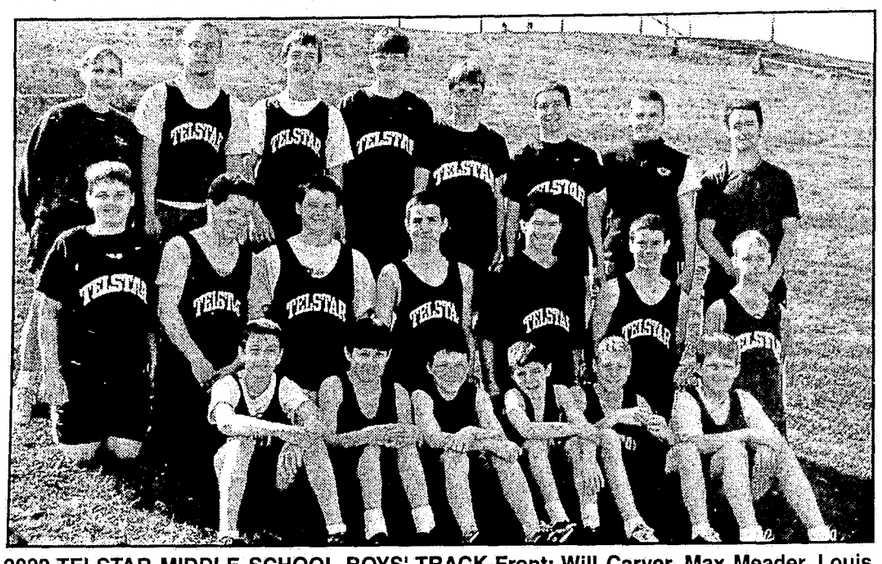


2002 TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL BASEBALL-Front: Gavin Parker, Kevin Wight, Andy Whitney, Owen Barter. Middle: Stephen McDonnell, Blake Conrad, Brian Piawlock, Dan Kiesel, Nathan Walker. Back: coach Tim O'Connor, Jonno Estes, Kevin Gallagher, Curtis Hughes, Ryan Kimball, Allen Buck



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2002 TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL GIRLS' TRACK-Front: Tonie Morin, Heather Gionet, Trista Morin, Ashley Lowe, Julia Stambolis, Rochelle Jewell. Middle: Mary Wentworth, Marya Brooks, Nicole Gaidis, Jennifer Leonard, Lauren McAllister, Kayla Damon, Crystal Herrick. Back: coach Mary Richardson, Caiti Shimamura, Kristie Carver, Kayla Day, Naomi Fraser, Erin Murphy, Candy Carmichael, Abby Wentworth, coach Parker Gray. Absent: Bliss Benson, Nicole Hughes, Kelsie Hanscom.

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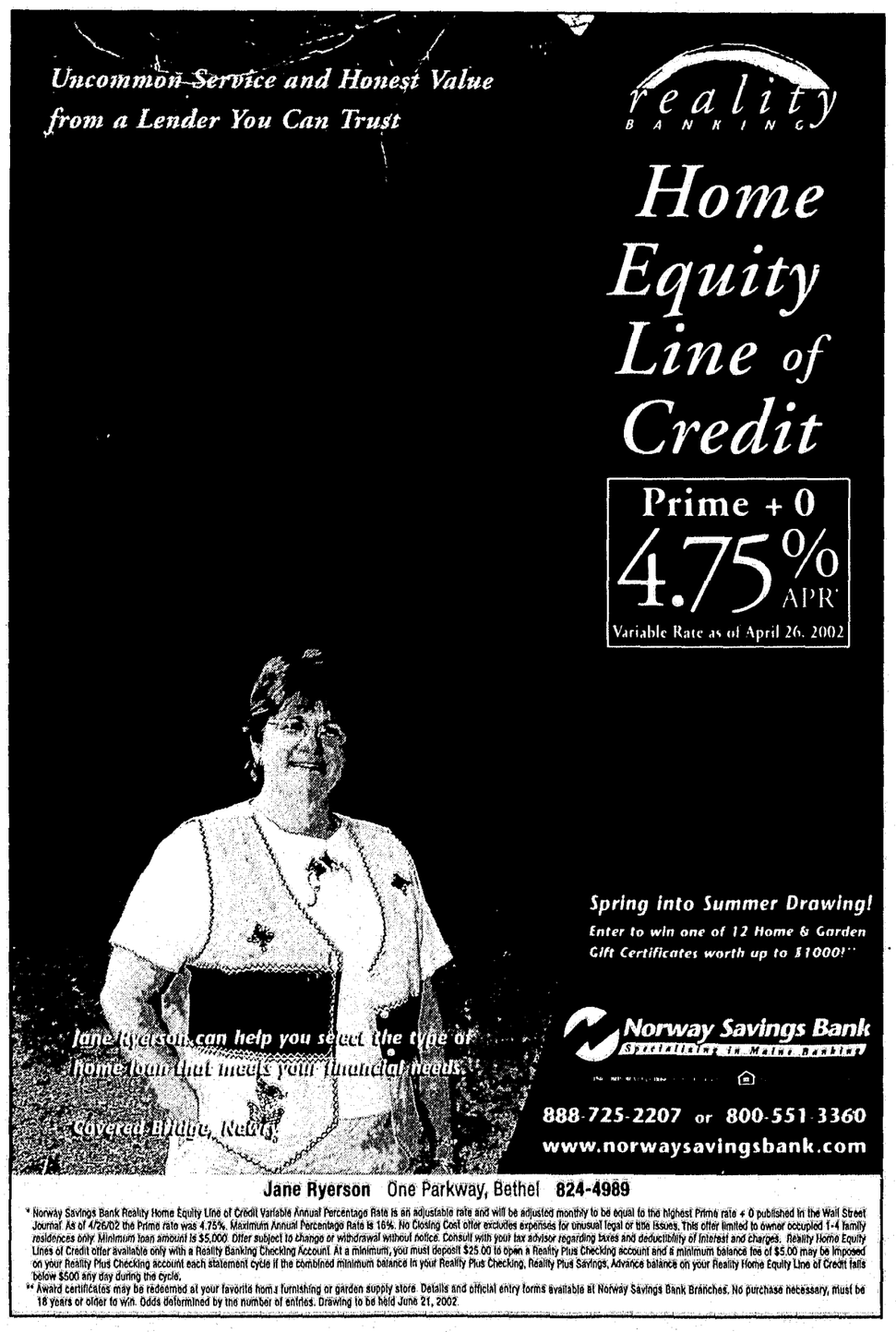

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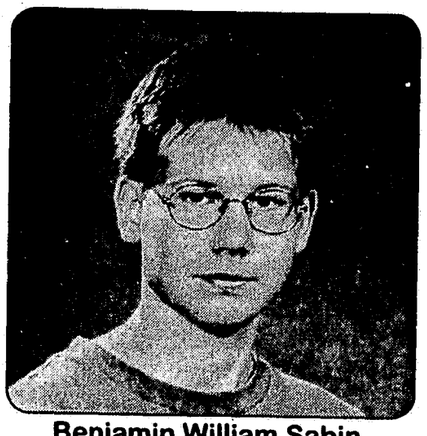
Telstar Regional High School Recognizes Top Scholars of 2002

Principal Dr. David Murphy and Guidance Director Elizabeth LaVallee are pleased to recognize the honor students from the graduating class of 2002 who have distinguished themselves throughout their high school careers at Telstar Regional High School. Congratulations to these young scholars for their commitment to their studies, their families, their school and their communities.



Benjamin William Sabin
Valedictorian

The valedictorian is Benjamin William Sabin, son of Barbara and Roger Sabin of East Andover. Benjamin is the recipient of numerous awards, including the Maine Scholars Achievement Award, Bausch & Lomb Honorary Science Award, United States National Leadership Merit Award, and President's Education Program Award. He was also named to Who's Who Among American High School Students and is a National Merit Commended Student.

Throughout high school he consistently earned high honor roll status, receiving classroom recognition for excellence in all academic subjects. He has participated in extracurricular activities and athletics, playing varsity soccer, running track and snowboarding. He has represented his community as a Dirigo Boys State delegate, was nominated as a representative to the National Youth Leadership Forum on Intelligence and Diplomacy and was a nominee to the National Summit of Young Technology Leaders. His community service activities include helping with the Bike Rodeo for area youngsters and refereeing soccer games for Andover Elementary School.

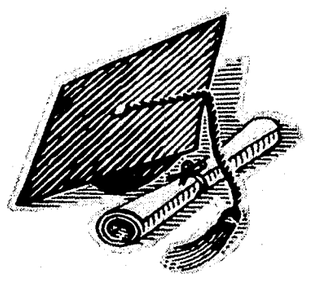
Benjamin enjoys watching Japanese animation, playing video games, surfing the net and skateboarding during his leisure time. His future plans include study at Occidental College, Los Angeles, Calif., as an English major.

Teresa May Inman
Salutatorian

The salutatorian is Teresa May Inman, daughter of Geffrey and Heidi Inman of Woodstock. Teresa has received special recognition for her academic achievements, including the President's Education Program Award, the Maine Scholars Award, the Society of Women Engineers Award, and United States National Leadership Merit Award. She has been named to Who's Who Among American High School Students and is an All-American Scholar.

She has excelled in the classroom and has been active in a variety of extracurricular activities, primary among them Future Business Leaders of America and student council. She has also been a teacher's aide and the manager for the girls' softball team. She has represented Telstar at the Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership conference. Her community service has been helping with the Maine PBS Great TV Auction and raising money for the March of Dimes and the Make-A-Wish Foundation.

Teresa enjoys reading, writing and pottery as well as snow machining and camping during her leisure time. She plans to attend Lyndon State College in Lyndon, Vt., majoring in meteorology.



Anna McCullagh Willard
Third Honors

Anna has earned the distinction of third honors. She is the daughter of Albert and Nancy Willard of Greenwood. Anna has consistently been an honor roll student, receiving special recognition for her academic achieyements. She has been named to Who's Who Among American High School Students and an All-American Scholar. She has received the Maine Principals' Association Award, United States National Leadership Merit Award, and the President's Education Program Award.

Among her many accomplishments are her commitments to extracurricular and athletic activities. Anna is co-president of her class, president of National Honor Society, a member of Big Brothers/Big Sisters, Peer Helpers, and Freshmen Awareness Committee at Telstar. She has served on several committees, including Prom and Graduation committees. She is a Satellite representative and is on the Yearbook staff. She has run cross-country, track and field and played basketball. She has repeatedly been named captain of these three sports teams. She has been a Mountain Valley First Team All-Star and MVC Champion in cross-country and track and field. She holds numerous course records in running events and is the current reigning Class D champion in cross country as well as the Junior Olympic Region I Champion in cross country. In other competition, she placed third in the Junior Olympic National Cross Country Championship. She is the recipient of many athletic awards, including the Sun Journal All-State X-C Team and the Wendy's Heisman Award. She is especially proud of her community service as a participant in the NHS American Red Cross Blood Drives, Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Dinners, and Big Brothers/Big Sisters' Bowl-for-Kids-Sake.

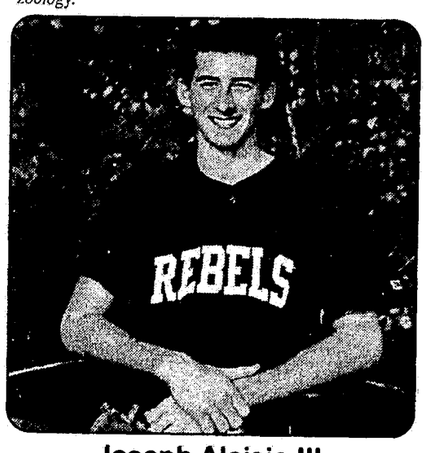
In her leisure time, Anna enjoys running, hiking and reading. Her future plans include attending Brown University, Providence, R.I., as an undeclared major.

Abigail Mary Gilbert
Fourth Honors

Abigail Mary Gilbert, daughter of Reginald Gilbert and Rebecca Doncaster of West Bethel, has distinguished herself by earning fourth-place in class standing. During her four years at Telstar, Abigail's scholarship has been recognized with numerous classroom awards and honor roll status, culminating in the Wells College Leadership Award. She is an All-American Scholar, has been named to Who's Who Among American High School Students, a recipient of the President's Education Program Award and United States National Leadership Merit Award.

Abigail contributes positively to the school and community in a number of ways. She is a member of Peer Helpers, Freshmen Awareness Committee at Telstar, Big Brothers/Big Sisters and National Honor Society. She has served on several committees, including Yearbook, Prom and Graduation committees. She holds the office of class treasurer and is a Satellite representative. Athletically, she has played varsity field hockey, run track and field, as well as played and managed girls' basketball. Her community service has been extensive as a member of NHS and individually. She has participated in the community blood drives, senior citizen dinners, March of Dimes walk-a-thons, fundraising for her class at the Bethel Art Fair, Chocolate Festival and Mollyocket Day Fair. She has participated in the 2002 Read Across America campaign with elementary children.

Abigail enjoys hiking, camping, reading and playing the guitar during her leisure time. Her future plans include attending Wells College in Aurora, N.Y., to study zoology.



Joseph Aloisio III
Fifth Honors

Joseph Aloisio III, the son of Alison and Joseph Aloisio Jr. of Newry, has distinguished himself by earning and tying for fifth-place honors. During his high school career, he has consistently made honor roll and received classroom recognition for excellence in his academic subjects, especially in advanced mathematics. He is an All-American Scholar and has been named to Who's Who Among American High School Students. He has received the President's Education Program Award for Outstanding Academic Excellence as well as the United States National Leadership Merit Award.

In extracurricular and athletic pursuits, Joseph has shown the same commitment to excellence as he has to his academics. He is a member of National Honor Society, helping with Senior Citizen Thanksgiving dinners, American Red Cross blood drives, and raising funds for Big Brothers/Big Sisters. An avid alpine skier, he has skied competitively at the high school and USSA levels, earning Mountain Valley Conference First Team All-Star status, MVC Championship awards, and placing consistently at the top in the State of Maine Class A Ski Championships and the New England High School Ski Championships. He has been named captain of the alpine ski team for the past two years. He has also been a four-year member of the baseball team.

Joseph enjoys water skiing, working on cars, dirt biking, reading and computers. His immediate plan is to attend Central Maine Technical College to study automotive technology, and then to pursue a four-year mechanical engineering program.

Caroline Flynn Raymond
Fifth Honors

Caroline Flynn Raymond is the daughter of Charles and Betsy Raymond of Bethel. She has earned and tied for fifth-place honors by maintaining high standards of excellence in all academic areas. She has been the recipient of numerous classroom awards in English, writing, history, health, life skills, science, VRML and mathematics. She was also a Top Ten Career Week finalist for her work experience at the Mary Martha Learning Center in Massachusetts. She has received the President's Education Program Award and the United States National Leadership Merit Award. She is an All-American Scholar and a Who's Who Among American High School Student.

In extracurricular activities Caroline has played field hockey for four seasons and skied competitively as a member of the cross-country team, earning MVC All-Star recognition in both sports. She has been involved with a variety of committees, organizations and activities, including Peer Helpers, Freshmen Awareness Committee at Telstar, Big Brothers/Big sisters, Chance for Change Committee and yearbook. She has been co-president of her class for four years, is a member of National Honor Society, and has served as a Satellite representative. Within the community she is a member of the West Parish Congregational Church and involved in the Youth Group.

She is especially proud of her community involvement as a participant in R.Y.L.A. and for her work with young children at Crescent Park. She helped with the Read Across America campaign and at the children's table during the Art Fair. Caroline has also contributed time and energy to the NHS American Red Cross Blood Drive, the NHS Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Dinner and community cleanup.

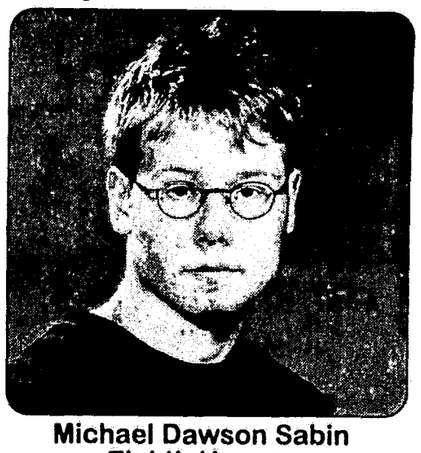
Caroline enjoys running, snowboarding, cross-country skiing, hiking, rock climbing and camping during her leisure time. She plans to attend Lesley University in Cambridge, Mass., in the fall as a counseling and human service major.

Rachel Sears Ecker-Polak
Seventh Honors

Rachel Ecker-Polak, the daughter of Emily Ecker and Marcel Polak of Woodstock, has earned seventh-place in class standing. Rachel's awards are many and varied, including outstanding achievement in English, history, science, math, and electives. She has received the President's Education Program Award as well as the United States National Leadership Merit Award. She is an All-American Scholar and has been named to Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Rachel's interests extend beyond her school pursuits to include personal study in art, foreign language, and writing. She has traveled extensively abroad and spent the spring semester of her junior year in Italy as an AFS student. She is a member of student council, Peer Helpers, Freshmen Awareness Committee at Telstar, A.I.D.S. Committee, and Chance for Change Committee. She is a peer mediator, a Satellite representative and a student representative to the school board.

Rachel enjoys dance, art, writing and travel. Accepted early decision to college, she plans to attend Sarah Lawrence College, Bronxville, N.Y., majoring in language and writing.



Michael Dawson Sabin
Eighth Honors

Michael Dawson Sabin, the son of Barbara and Roger Sabin of East Andover, has earned eighth-place standing. Academically, Michael has been an honor roll student and the recipient of many scholastic awards in science, foreign language, and writing, including the National English Merit Award, the President's Education Program Award, and the United States National Leadership Merit Award. He has attended John Hopkins I.A.A.Y., National Summit of Young Technology Leaders, and National Youth Leadership Forum on Defense, Intelligence and Diplomacy. He has received Andover's Walter Fox Book Award and the Friday Club Book Award. He is an All-American Scholar and has been named to Who's Who Among American High School Students.

In extracurricular activities, Michael has played varsity soccer and run track and field. He is also a member of the snowboarding team. He has served on student council, has been a Satellite representative and was a delegate at Dirigo Boys State from Andover. He has played summer baseball for the Town of Bethel, and he has been a writer for the school newspaper. His community service has been as a referee for soccer at the Andover Elementary School games and as a volunteer at the Telstar Bike Rodeo.

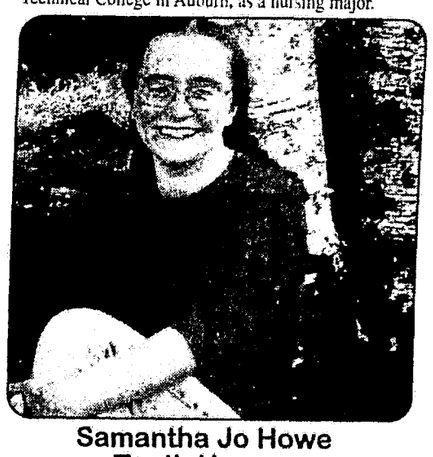
Michael enjoys Japanese animation, video games, reading and writing during his leisure time. His future plan is to attend Western Washington University in Bellingham, Wash., majoring in East Asian studies.

Nicole Marie Roberts
Ninth Honors

Nicole Marie Roberts, daughter of Tammy Hadley of South Woodstock and Greg Roberts of South Paris, has achieved ninth place in class standing. She has received recognition for her academic accomplishments in math, science, history, health, and electives and has been named an All-American Scholar and has been named to Who's Who Among American High School Students. She is the recipient of the President's Education Program Award and the United States National Leadership Merit Award.

In extracurricular activities, Nicole has contributed as an individual and as a team member, volunteering as an aide in the middle school, representing her Satellite group as a spokesperson, serving on Prom Committee and playing sports. She has run track and field, skied cross-country and played varsity field hockey for which she received Mountain Valley Conference First Team All-Star status. Nicole has also spent considerable time at the Ledgeview Living Center as an activities volunteer and also as employee in the Dietary Department.

She enjoys being outdoors and playing sports in her leisure time. Her future plan is to attend Central Maine Technical College in Auburn, as a nursing major.



Samantha Jo Howe
Tenth Honors

Samantha Jo Howe is the daughter of Clifford and Ruth Howe of Woodstock. She has distinguished herself by earning tenth-place honors for scholastic achievement. Her academic accomplishments include awards for excellence in mathematics, history, and science. As a member of Future Business Leaders of America, she placed third at the state competition in Accounting. Samantha was also recognized as a Top Ten Career Week finalist for her career exploration at Viking Motors in Oxford, Maine. She has received the United States National Leadership Merit Award and the President's Education Program Award. She has been named an All-American Scholar and has been named to Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Samantha has been active in athletics and numerous organizations. She played field hockey throughout high school, earning her varsity letter. She has run track and field for four years as well. She has been a member of F.B.L.A. and currently holds the Telstar Chapter office of treasurer and is a Satellite representative. In community activities, she is involved with the Junior American Legion Auxiliary Unit #68 in Locke Mills and has represented her town as a Dirigo Girls State Delegate. Her community service includes helping with the Track Boosters projects, the March of Dimes Walk-a-thon, and the many activities of the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce.

Samantha enjoys listening to music, "four wheeling", fishing and camping during her leisure time. Her future plan is to attend Husson College in Bangor, majoring in accounting and certifying as a public accountant.

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Television Listings

THURSDAY EVENING MAY 23, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Frasier	WWE Smackdown!				News	Ent. Tonight	5th Wheel	Shipmates
(32)	Videos	Videos	Movie: "Every Which Way but Loose"					Whose?	700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Friends	Frasier	Will-Grace	Just Shoot	ER		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Whose?	Whose?	Be a Millionaire		Primetime Thursday		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Maine.	Youth	Frontline/World		Vietnam Passg		Charlie Rose	
(22)	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Eastern Conf. Final Game 4 -- Hurricanes at Maple Leafs						Baseball Tonight		Sportscenter	
(34)	Mad TV	Mad TV	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Movie: "Beavis and Butt-head Do America"				Star Trek: Next Gener.	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Agency		News	
(41)	NASCAR	Last Word	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Best Damn Sports Show Period			
(15)	Movie: "Joe Dirt"				Movie: "Dr. Dolittle 2"			On Record	Sex Bytes 2.4	
(17)	Halloweentown II: Kalabar's Revenge			Movie: "Curly Sue"				Halloweentown II: Kalabar's Revenge		
(18)	Wedding	On Set	Movie: "The Specialist"				Movie: "Swordfish"			
(20)	Boating	Divers	Outdoors	NE Journal	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Price of a Broken Heart"				Women Docs	
(5)	Friends	Roseanne	Movie: "Jaws"						Movie: "Jaws 2"	
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	Ginger	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers	All in Family	All in Family
(25)	Backstory	Screen	Movie: "Breakfast at Tiffany's"				Movie: "Not Without My Daughter"			
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		JAG		JAG		JAG	
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Movie: "The Lost Battalion"				Law & Order	
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Movie: "The Year of Living Dangerously"					News		In the Heat of the Night	
(39)	Crossfire		Live From...		Larry King Live		Newsnight		Crossfire	Moneyline

FRIDAY EVENING MAY 24, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Frasier	Movie: "High School High"				News	Ent. Tonight	5th Wheel	Shipmates
(32)	Videos	Videos	State	State	Alias		Whose?	Whose?	700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Dateline		NBA Basketball Playoffs: Kings at Lakers					News
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos		20/20		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Street Wk	Keeping Up	One Foot	Darling Buds of May		Charlie Rose	
(22)	Sportsctr.	College Softball: NCAA Champ. -- Teams TBA				Baseball Tonight			Sportscenter	
(34)	Mad TV	Mad TV	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Star Trek: Next Gener.		Star Trek: Next Gener.		Star Trek: Next Gener.	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	JAG		First Monday		48 Hours		News	
(41)	NASCAR	Last Word	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Best Damn Sports Show Period			
(15)	Movie: "Red Planet"				Movie: "The Mexican"				Insomnia	Dennis M.
(17)	Proud	Lizzie	Movie: "Stepsister From Planet Weird"			Movie: "Double Teamed"				BugJuice
(18)	Movie: "The Arrival" Cont'd			Movie: "Fire Birds"			Movie: "Vertical Limit"			
(20)	Major League Baseball: New York Yankees at Boston Red Sox						Innings	Front Row-BC		ESPNews
(44)	Movie: "Jewels"									
(5)	Friends	Major League Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Atlanta Braves						Movie: "Absolute Power"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	Chalk Zone	Oddparents	Invader Zim	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers
(25)	Three Stooges		Movie: "Summer Lovers"				Cinema	Movie: "The Enemy Below"		
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "Friday"				Law & Order	
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Heroes of Iwo Jima				Law & Order	
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Movie: "Quiz Show"				News		In the Heat of the Night	
(39)	Crossfire		Live From...		Larry King Live		Newsnight		Crossfire	Moneyline

SATURDAY EVENING MAY 25, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Cadence"				Entertainment Tonight		Nash Bridges	
(32)	Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	Movie: "Airplane!"			
6	NBA Basketball Playoffs		Amer. Heroes		Movie: "My Fellow Americans"				News	Sat. Night
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Enemy of the State"						News	Buffy
10	Made In	Opinion	Now With Bill Moyers		Time Goes	Barbara	Antiques Roadshow UK		Red Green	Red Green
(22)	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Eastern Conf. Final Game 5 -- Maple Leafs at Hurricanes						Baseball Tonight		Sportscenter	
(34)	Rodeo: PBR		Monster Jam		Robot Wars: Extreme		WWE Velocity		WWE Confidential	
13	Entertainment Tonight		Touched by an Angel		Rockin' for the USA		District		News	Andromeda
(41)	Track and Field: Pac-10			Tri Star	Beyond the Glory		See This	See This	Beyond the Glory	
(15)	Knight Tle	Spirit	Movie: "Final Fantasy: The Spirits Within"				Six Feet Under		Movie: "Bad Boys"	
(17)	"Cadet Kelly" Cont'd		Movie: "Rip Girls"				Movie: "Jumping Ship"			
(18)	"Virtuosity"	Movie: "Tombstone"					Movie: "3000 Miles to Graceland"			
(20)	Front Row-BC		Front Row -- Profiles		ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews
(44)	Movie: "The Siege at Ruby Ridge"								Once and Again	
(5)	Major League Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Atlanta Braves						Movie: "Fire Down Below"			
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	All That	Amanda	Taina	Nick	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers
(25)	"The Brides of Dracula"		Movie: "Fright Night"				Movie: "Tarantula"			
(26)	Movie: "Friday"				Movie: "Nothing to Lose"				Movie: "Major Payne"	
(27)	City Confidential		Behind Closed Doors		Movie: "Columbo: Grand Deceptions"				Poirot	
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Fresh Pr.	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Houston Astros						News	Punisher
(39)	Capital Gang		CNN Presents		Larry King Weekend		CNN Saturday Night		Capital Gang	

SUNDAY EVENING MAY 26, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Movie: "Powder" Cont'd		Movie: "Of Mice and Men"				Hot Ticket	5th Wheel	Maximum Exposure	
(32)	Great Magic III		World's Greatest Magic IV				World's Greatest Magic V			
6	NBA Basketball Playoffs		Weakest Link		Law & Order		Law & Order		News	
8	Movie: "Switching Goals"				Alias		Practice		News	Pretender
10	Ballykissangel		National Memorial Day Concert			Pearl Harbor		USS Wis	Mystery!	
(22)	Baseball Tonight		Major League Baseball: New York Yankees at Boston Red Sox						Sportscenter	
(34)	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Movie: "Beavis and Butt-head Do America"				Star Trek: Next Gener.		Star Trek: Next Gener.	
13	60 Minutes		Max Bickford		Movie: "Nicholas' Gift"				News	Friends
(41)	Boxing: Davis vs. Lewis		Beyond the Glory		Beyond the Glory		See This	See This	Beyond the Glory	
(15)	Movie: "Forrest Gump" Cont'd				In Memoriam		Movie: "Finding Forrester"			
(17)	Movie: "Hounded" Cont'd			Movie: "Quints"				Movie: "Motocrossed"		
(18)	Movie: "An Innocent Man" Cont'd			Movie: "Cruel Intentions II"			Movie: "Driven"			
(20)	Fan Attic: Bruins 71-72 Snapshots				ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews
(44)	"The Burden of Proof"		Movie: "Before He Wakes"				Movie: "Sweet Temptation"			
(5)	"Fire Down Below"		Movie: "On Deadly Ground"				Movie: "On Deadly Ground"			
(24)	Caitlin	Ginger	Garcia	Nick News	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers	Cheers	Cheers
(25)	Fright Night	Backstory	Movie: "Courage Under Fire"				Screen	Movie: "The Good Son"		
(26)	Movie: "Nothing to Lose"				Movie: "Billy Madison"				Law & Order	
(27)	Bio '86		Nero Wolfe		City Confidential		Law & Order		Law & Order	
(12)	Mutant X		Andromeda		Earth: Final Conflict		News	Replay	In the Heat of the Night	
(39)	CNN Presents		People in the News		Larry King Weekend		CNN Sunday Night		CNN Presents	

MONDAY EVENING MAY 27, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Frasier	Hughleys	One	Parkers	Girlfriends	News	Ent. Tonight	5th Wheel	Shipmates
(32)	Jennifer Lopez in Concert		World Music Awards				Whose?	Whose?	700 Club	
6	NBA Basketball Playoffs		Price for Peace				Crossing Jordan		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Moonraker"						News	
10	News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		Masterpiece Theatre				Charlie Rose	
(22)	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Western Conf. Final Game 5 -- Avalanche at Red Wings						Major League Baseball: Rockies at Padres			
(34)	Baywatch		Baywatch		WWE Raw				Star Trek: Next Gener.	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	King	Yes, Dear	Raymond	Becker	Family Law		News	
(41)	Sports	Last Word	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Best Damn Sports Show Period			
(15)	Movie: "Maverick" Cont'd				Band of Brothers		Movie: "Dr. Dolittle 2"			Brothers
(17)	Movie: "Brink!" Cont'd		"The Ultimate Christmas Present"			Movie: "Zenon: The Zeque!"				
(18)	"Meet the Parents"		Movie: "3000 Miles to Graceland"				Movie: "The Patriot"			
(20)	Boating	Divers	Outdoors	NE Journal	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews
(44)	Movie: "Common Ground"				Movie: "Sweet Dreams"				Golden	Golden
(5)	Movie: "Stripes" Cont'd		Movie: "The Pelican Brief"					Movie: "National Lampoon's Vacation"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	Ginger	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers	All in Family	All in Family
(25)	Movie: "Courage Under Fire" Cont'd			Movie: "Force 10 From Navarone"					Movie: "Midway"	
(26)	JAG		JAG		Willie Nelson and Friends: Stars and Guitars				JAG	
(27)	Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order	
(12)	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Pittsburgh Pirates						News		In the Heat of the Night	
(39)	Crossfire		Live From...		Larry King Live		Newsnight		Crossfire	Moneyline

TUESDAY EVENING MAY 28, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Frasier	Buffy the Vampire Slayer		Girlfriends	Parkers	News	Ent. Tonight	5th Wheel	Shipmates
(32)	Videos	Videos	Movie: "Holiday in the Sun"				Whose?	Whose?	700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Dateline		NBA Basketball Playoffs: Lakers at Kings					News
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Mole II: Betrayal		Mole II: Betrayal		Philly		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Scientific-Frontiers		Evolution				Charlie Rose	
(22)	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Eastern Conf. Final Game 6 -- Hurricanes at Maple Leafs						Baseball Tonight		Sportscenter	
(34)	Mad TV	Mad TV	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Movie: "Blood Simple"				Star Trek: Next Gener.	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	JAG		Guardian		Judging Amy		News	
(41)	Sports	Last Word	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Best Damn Sports Show Period			
(15)	Final Fantasy		Movie: "The Tailor of Panama"				In Memoriam		Dennis M.	
(17)	Movie: "Halloweentown"			"Mom's Got a Date With a Vampire"			Movie: "P.U.N.K.S."			
(18)	"Assassins" Cont'd		Movie: "Ginger Snaps"				Movie: "Swordfish"			
(20)	College Baseball: Conference USA Championship -- Teams to Be Announced						ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "83 Hours 'Til Dawn"				Golden	Golden
(5)	Friends	Major League Baseball: Montreal Expos at Atlanta Braves						Movie: "Renegades"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	Ginger	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers	All in Family	All in Family
(25)	Three Stooges		Movie: "Mystic Pizza"				Movie: "Mystic Pizza"			
(26)	JAG		Movie: "Beverly Hills Cop III"				Take 2: Living the Movies		JAG	
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Movie: "Columbo: Ashes to Ashes"				Law & Order	
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Major League Baseball: New York Yankees at Chicago White Sox						News	Cosby
(39)	Crossfire		Live From...		Larry King Live		Newsnight		Crossfire	Moneyline

WEDNESDAY EVENING MAY 29, 2002

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Frasier	Enterprise		Iron Chef USA		News	Ent. Tonight	5th Wheel	Shipmates
(32)	Videos	Videos	Movie: "Radiant City"				Whose?	Whose?	700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	West Wing		NBA Basketball Playoffs: Celtics at Nets					News
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	My Wife	Jim	Drew Carey	My Adv.	Peter Jennings Reporting		News	
10	News-Lehrer		National Geographic		American Family		Lost Liners		Charlie Rose	
(22)	To Be Announced		Stanley Cup Playoffs: Western Conf. Final Game 6 -- Red Wings at Avalanche						Sportscenter	
(34)	Mad TV	Mad TV	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Movie: "The Immortals"				Star Trek: Next Gener.	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	60 Minutes II		Miss Universe Pageant				News	
(41)	NASCAR	Last Word	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Best Damn Sports Show Period			
(15)	Movie: "A Knight's Tale" Cont'd				Six Feet Under		Six Feet Under		Six Feet Under	
(17)	Movie: "The Color of Friendship"			Movie: "Tru Confessions"			Movie: "Zeus and Roxanne"			
(18)	Hollow Man	Movie: "Revenge"					Movie: "3000 Miles to Graceland"			
(20)	Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Toronto Blue Jays						Innings	Front Row-BC		ESPNews
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "The Conviction of Kitty Dodds"				Golden	Golden
(5)	Friends	Friends	Ripley's Believe It or Not!		Movie: "Life"				Ripley's Believe It or Not!	
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	Ginger	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers	All in Family	All in Family
(25)	Three Stooges		Movie: "North to Alaska"				Movie: "The Last Hard Men"			
(26)	JAG		Movie: "Ticker"				Movie: "Ticker"			
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		American Justice		American Justice		Law & Order	
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Movie: "The Commitments"				News		In the Heat of the Night	
(39)	Crossfire		Live From...		Larry King Live		Newsnight		Crossfire	Moneyline

For those of you who don't recognize this motley crew, it is Victoria Chase, Kenneth Jodrey and Jill Angevine. They spent the biggest part of grade school together and all of high school. And now, most of a 4-year term of college together. I can't begin to tell everyone out here that knows these young adults how proud I am. As I look back, all of the long phone calls, and weekends coming and goings so they could spend special time together. Attending school functions, and fixing broken hearts, and all of the other growing up things that all of us, that have children, have to deal with. I can't help but think of all of the people who were involved in helping these 3 wonderful children grow into 3 fine adults. This means their families, teachers, and don't forget their friends.

Congratulations to all of them and the wonderful job everyone has done in helping them go in the right direction. They graduated from Husson College. *Rodney Chase*

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CIVIL CITATION FOR PUBLICATION

The above entitled action for damages is now pending in this Court. The original writ is on file in this Court and may be examined by interested parties. It appearing that personal service has not been made on all defendant(s) and that the Court has issued an Order for Service by Publication on defendant, Norman Wight.

IT IS ORDERED by the Court that the plaintiff(s) give notice to the said defendant(s) of the pendency of this action by causing a true and attested copy of this Citation Order of Notice to be published once a week for three successive weeks, in the Bethel Citizen a newspaper printed in PO Box 109, Bethel, Maine 04217, in the County of Oxford, and State of Maine, the last publication to be not less than fourteen days before the First Tuesday of August, to which the date this action is continued. On or before this date, each defendant served by publication must file a written appearance with this Court. Each defendant failing to do so shall be defaulted for failure to appear and shall be subject to entry of judgement without further notice for all relief claimed in this action.

May 9, 2002

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J.M.G. Corporation and Allen Hamilton c/o Jack Goodwin, PO Box 1268, Greenville, ME 04441

Has filed an application for a Gravel Pit Permit with the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission pursuant to provisions of 12 MRSA Section 685-B to excavate gravel from 11.6 acres of an approximately 28 acre parcel designated on Property Map 2 as Lot 3.3 in Albany Township, Oxford Country, Maine.

The application will be filed for public inspection at the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission office in Augusta on May 28, 2002.

Written comments or requests for hearings should be sent to the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission, Department of Conservation, State House Station 22, Augusta, Maine, 04333, within two weeks of filing of the application to receive consideration. For additional information, please contact the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission staff by calling (207) 287-2631 or, toll free from within Maine, by calling 1-800-452-8711.

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Channel 4 Viewers Guide

Thursday May 23	Friday May 24	Saturday May 25	Sunday May 26	Monday May 27	Tuesday May 28	Wednesday May 29
8 a.m. MW&W Rattle Traps & Spinners **10 a.m.** MW&W Tick Awareness **12 noon** Bethel Citizen Reading **2 p.m.** BHS Korean War Panel **4 & 7 p.m.** Bryant Pond Hour/Church **9 p.m.** CHM Memorial Days '66 & '67	**8 a.m. & 4 p.m.** Bethel Citizen Reading **10 a.m.** Back Forty Turkey Hunt Spring '02 **12 noon** CHM Memorial Days '66 & '67 **2 p.m.** BHS Bethel Remembers WWII **7 p.m.** BHS Korean War Panel **9 p.m.** Democratic Candidates Forum	**8 a.m. & 2 p.m.** BHS Korean War Panel **10 a.m.** Bryant Pond Hour/Church **12 noon** Bethel Citizen Reading **4 p.m. & 9 p.m.** CHM Memorial Days '66 & '67 **7 p.m.** BHS Bethel Remembers WWII	**8 a.m.** BHS Bethel Remembers WWII **10 a.m. & 4 p.m.** Bryant Pond Hour/Church **12 noon** Back Forty Turkey Hunt Spring '02 **2 p.m.** CHM Memorial Days '66 & '67 **7 p.m.** BHS Korean War Panel **9 p.m.** Democratic Candidates Forum	**8 a.m. & 4 p.m.** Bethel Citizen Reading **10 a.m.** Democratic Candidates Forum **12 noon** BHS Korean War Panel **2 p.m.** BHS Bethel Remembers WWII **7 p.m.** Bryant Pond Hour/Church **9 p.m.** CHM Memorial Days '66 & '67	**8 a.m.** BHS Korean War Panel **10 a.m. & 7 p.m.** Back Forty Turkey Hunt Spring '02 **12 noon & 4 p.m.** CHM Memorial Days '66 & '67 **2 p.m.** Democratic Candidates Forum **9 p.m.** BHS Bethel Remembers WWII	**8 a.m.** BHS Bethel Remembers WWII **10 a.m., & 4 p.m.** Democratic Candidates Forum **12 noon** Back Forty Turkey Hunt Spring '02 **2 & 7 p.m.** CHM Memorial Days '66 & '67 **9 p.m.** BHS Korean War Panel

Events Calendar

Public Computer Access — The SAD44 Adult Learning Center, on Philbrook Street in Bethel, offers literacy services, GED preparation, academic skills instruction to prepare for employment or college, and career and educational advising. The Learning Center computer lab is open for public use by adults during hours that the Learning Center is open: Monday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Tuesday, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.; and Thursday, 9 a.m. to noon. Additional winter hours for the computer lab are: Monday, 5 to 8 p.m.; Thursday, 5 to 8 p.m.; Friday, 5 to 8 p.m.; and Sunday, 5 to 8 p.m.

Seniors Lunch every Tuesday and Thursday, 11:30 a.m., at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, sponsored by SeniorsPlus. Donation for 60 and older and spouses, $2.50; all other guests, $4. Come alone or bring a friend. Reservations are important. For information, menus, reservations, call 824-3168 (also the number to call to apply for Meals on Wheels).

8:30 to 9:30 a.m. — **Water Aerobics at Bethel Inn** — Monday, Wednesday, Friday mornings. Call 875-2065 for more information.

Mondays, 5:15 to 6:15 p.m. — **T'ai Chi classes** at Harper Conference Center/Ripley Medical Building, South Paris, taught by Betsey Foster, MPH. Eight weeks. To register, call 875-2426.

9 a.m. — **Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge** at Town and Country Mobile Home Park community center, Norway. All bridge players invited to attend and bring a friend or two. Refreshments. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net

Registration for **7th annual 24 Hours of Great Glen** now open for Aug. 10-11 24-hour mountain bike race at Great Glen Trails Outdoor Center, Pinkham, N.H., at the base of Mt. Washington. FMI, call (603) 466-2333 or visit www.24hoursofgreatglen.com.

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Thursday, May 23

6 to 9 p.m. — **CPR Recertification,** a SAD44 Adult Education class at Bethel Family Health Center. Fee: $20. Call 824-2780 to sign up.

7 to 9 p.m. — **The Art of Tea-ism,** a SAD44 Adult Education class at Café DiCocoa. Fee: $5. To register call 824-2780.

7 p.m. — **Bethel Area Poets Society** will celebrate their 6th anniversary at Black Bear B & B on Sunday River Road. All poets and poetry lovers welcome. For more information, call Rockie at 824-3427.

Friday, May 24

Noon to 5 p.m. — **Red Cross Blood Drive** at Telstar gymnasium. For more information, call Alec Newell at 824-2136 or American Red Cross Blood Services at (800) GIVE-LIFE.

Saturday, May 25

Annual **Andover Alumni Banquet** — 5 p.m. social hour, 6 p.m. dinner at the Pine Street Gym in Andover.

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. — **St. Never's Day** at Bethel Historical Society. Anyone having things they no longer need or want can donate them by leaving them on the Robinson House porch anytime or call 824-2908 for pick-up. This sale is a fundraiser for the Bethel Historical Society's capital campaign. Also needed are volunteers to help with pricing on Friday, May 24, and on the sale day.

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. — **Faye Taylor Memorial Art Show** will be held at Bethel Historical Society. This year's theme: "Celebration of the Horse in 19th Century Rural Life." Show is open to all SAD44 students in Grades 1-6. Each entry is due by 3 p.m. on May 24, at the Robinson House. Call the Bethel Historical Society office (824-2908) for more information.

5 to 6 p.m. — **Public Supper** (covered dish) at West Paris Grange Hall, Church Street, sponsored by West Paris Grange 298. Tickets: $5 for adults and $2.50 for children under 12.

8 to 11:30 p.m. — **Old-Time Dance** at Locke Mills Town Hall with music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Proceeds benefit the Greenwood Historical Society.

12 to 3 p.m. — **Chicken Barbecue** at Magalloway Town Hall. Donations: adults, $6 and children, $4. Proceeds benefit Magalloway Town Hall Stove Fund. Raffle is a cord of split stove wood.

May 25, 26, 27

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. — **2002 Lilac Festival,** and reading of Walt Whitman's tribute to Abraham Lincoln (Monday at 11 a.m.) at McLaughlin Garden, 97 Main Street, South Paris. $3 donation requested. For more information, call 743-8820 or visit the Web site www.mclaughlingarden.org.

Sunday, May 26

7 to 10 a.m. — **Pancake Breakfast** at Stoneham Rescue Barn.

Monday, May 27

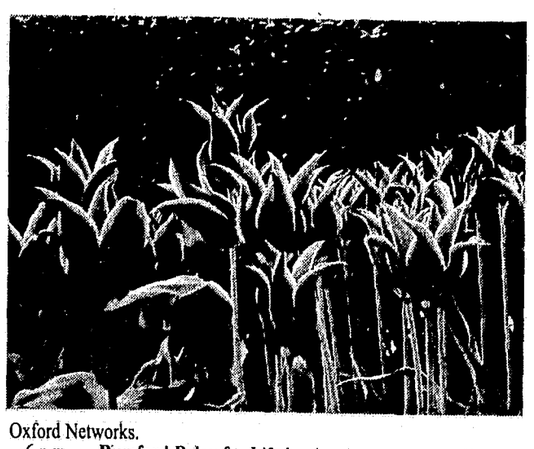
10:30 a.m. (line up), 11 a.m. (parade) — **West Paris Memorial Day Parade** starts at Finnish American Hall, Maple Street. If rain all services will be held at West Paris Grange, Church Street. Children receive Popsicle. FMI, call 674-3046.

Wednesday, May 29

7 p.m. — **Town of Greenwood Comprehensive Plan Committee** meeting in the town office multi-purpose room. For more information, call 875-2773

Friday, May 31

33rd annual **Bethel Area Chamber Awards Dinner,** sponsored by



Oxford Networks.

6 p.m. — **Rumford Relay for Life luminaria ceremony** at Hosmer Field, Rumford, sponsored by American Cancer Society. Each candle ($5) is inscribed with the name of a loved one who has either lost the battle with cancer or who is a survivor. Information about purchasing luminaria, forming a team or walking in the survivors' lap available from American Cancer Society (800) 464-3102, Press 3, or co-chairs Diane Mitchell (364-8358) or Tawn Halacy (364-8122).

May 31-June 2

Democratic State Convention at Civic Center, Augusta. For more information, contact Cathy Newell at 875-2116 or cathyn@megalink.net.

West Paris Old Home Days. Parades, auto show, Beano, downhill derby race, food, fishing derby, go-cart demo, music, street dance, horse and wagon rides, games and much, much more. Fun for the whole family. To rent a table ($25 for weekend), call Martha (674-5878), Harlan (674-2385) or Betty (674-2507).

All weekend — **Calling all Coffee Lovers** to the Coffee Booth at West Paris Old Home Days. donations to benefit Muscular Dystrophy Association. FMI, call 674-2403.

12 noon on — **Bake Sale** during West Paris Old Home Days at the Fire Hall. On Saturday, June I, for $3 enjoy homemade strawberry shortcake. FMI or food contributions, call 674-3050 or 674-3602.

Saturday, June 1

9 to 10 a.m. — **Perennial Plant Sale** at Bethel Library. Sale will take place on the side lawn of the library. Proceeds help purchase new adult and children's books. All gardeners asked to pot plants at least one week in advance of sale. For help digging or in need of pots or labels, please call Melody Bonnema (824-0405), Betsy Raymond (824-2261) or Shelley Douglass (824-3203.

West Paris Alumni Association annual Banquet at Agnes L. Gray School Gymnasium. Line up, 5 p.m., annual meeting, 5:30 p.m., dinner, 6 p.m. FMI, call 674-3046.

9:30 a.m. to noon — **Kids Free Fishing Day** at Wildcat Pond, Wildcat Ski Area, Route 16, Gorham, N.H., sponsored by White Mountain National Forest. Fishing, learning stations, casting contest, prizes. Kids aged 15 and under, bring an adult, fishing gear and lunch. Free fishing all day. For more information, call (603) 466-2713; TTY (603) 466-2856.

St. Jude's Charity Trail Ride hosted by Ellis River Riders starting at the show grounds in Andover. Proceeds go to St. Jude's Charity Fund. Anyone interested in riding may contact Kate Slattery at 836-3217.

2 to 5 p.m. — Open House at Northern Forest Heritage Park, 961 Main Street, Berlin, N.H. Free. Tour logging camp, blacksmith demos, horse wagon rides, fiddle music, bean hole beans, artisan demos, slide presentations, door prize. Heritage River Boat Tours running all day ($5). For more information, call (603) 752-7202.

Sunday, June 2

2:30 p.m. — **Bridget's School of Dance performance,** "Proud to Be an American Dancer" at Gould Academy's Bingham Auditorium. For more information, call 875-5310.

12 noon — **Chicken BBQ** hosted by West Paris School Volunteers at WP Fire Hall, rain or shine. Adults: $6.95, children under 12, $3.50. FMI or donations, call 674-2063.

12 noon (registration) — **West Paris Downhill Derby** at Derby Hill (beside West Paris Town Office) first race (1 p.m.), for children 7 to 17. FMI, call 674-3325.

Tuesday, June 4

5:30 p.m. — **Oxford County Republican supper and meeting** at Stoneham Congregational Church, put on by the Daughters of Union Veterans of the civil War Tent 19.

Wednesday, June 5

4:30 p.m. — **Container Planting,** a SAD44 Adult Education workshop at Pooh Corner. Fee: $10 plus plants. Call 836-FARM to sign up.

June 6-7-8

9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Fri.-Sat.) and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Sun.) — **Maine Scottish Festival** at Bethel Outdoor Adventures and Campground, Route 2, Bethel. Clan Village, concerts, food.

Saturday, June 8

11 a.m. to 2 p.m. — **Celebrating Fatherhood, Father and Child Events** barbecue picnic at Stony Brook Recreation and Campground, Route 2, Hanover, sponsored by Community Concepts. Free and open to public. For more information or to sign up, call Jonathan Goldberg (824-3459) or Sally Goddard (743-7716).

Woodstock High School Alumni Banquet at American Legion Hall, Locke Mills.

11:30 to 5:30 p.m. — **Old-Fashioned Community Social** at Waterford Congregational Church and the Wilkins Community House on Plummer Hill Road, Waterford, to benefit APFED (American Partnership for Eosinophilic Disorders). $7 entry fee ($4 for children under 10, and maximum family charge is $26) covers lunch or supper, dance and sing-a-long with live band. For a small fee, there will be face painting, raffles, etc. FMI, call 583-6266.

Ellis River Riders Gymkhana Show at Andover show grounds. Public invited (free), seating for spectators, food and camping sites available. For information, call Kate Slattery at 836-3217.

Sunday, June 9

2 to 4 p.m. — **Open Microphone for Cathy Newell's Exit** at Bethel Inn Gibson Room. Be prepared to share memories regarding Cathy. $15 per person. Hors d'oeuvres and cash beverages. Remit checks payable to SAD44 by June 3 to: Superintendent's Office, 284 Walkers Mills Road, Bethel, ME 04217.

Ellis River Riders Open Show at Andover show grounds. Public invited (free), seating for spectators, food and camping sites available. For information, call Kate Slattery at 836-3217.

June 10 and 11

6:30 p.m. — Auditions for "Little Mary Sunshine," a musical melodrama at Guy E. Rowe School, Main Street, Norway. Casting: nine men/nine women in singing roles and three men in non-singing roles. Perusal scripts available at area libraries. For more information, call Linda Sturdivant 642-7840, Kathy Davis (743-9066) or Kenn Sawyer (743-8289).

Tuesday, June 11

Supper/Dance at Locke Mills Legion Hall on Gore Road, sponsored by the Jackson-Silver American Legion Auxiliary. Meal will be served at 5:30 p.m. followed by dancing to the music by The Parisians until 9:30 p.m. Cost for the entire evening, which includes chances to win door prizes, is $6 for ages 12 and up $3 for those under age 12.

6:30 p.m. — **Telstar Alumni Association meeting** in conference room at Telstar Regional High School. All welcome to attend.

Wednesday, June 12

11 a.m. — **Bethel Senior Citizens Club** meeting and luncheon at Country Way Restaurant, South Paris. Speaker will be Annita Wiles from Senior Plus.

Saturday, June 15

2nd annual **Upper Androscoggin River Fishing Fest** at Davis Park, Bethel. Educational and fun exhibits showcasing the river. For more information, call Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce at 824-2282.

Monday, June 17

Annual Trip to Storyland. Free for Newry children. Children must sign up by Monday, June 10, by calling the town office at 824-3123. Group rate for adults and non-resident children is $16. All admission fees must be collected before entering Storyland, so bring cash and meet at Storyland at 8:45 a.m. Any questions, call Sylvia or Retta at the Newry Town Office.

June 20-23

"Our Town" will be performed by members of Oxford Hills Music and Performing Arts Association at Paris Hill Academy.

Friday, June 21

Noon — **Summer Solstice Sculpture Race,** sponsored by Mahoosuc Arts Council. Prizes for fastest, most creative, most recycled, and most absurd. For more information, check the Web site www.midsummerfestival.org, or pick up an entry form at Café DiCocco's Market or Maine Press.

10:30 to 1:30 p.m. — **Senior Citizen Appreciation Day Picnic** at Fryeburg Fair Grounds, sponsored by Oxford County Sheriff's Office TRIAD. Free for Oxford County senior citizens 50 years and older. 15 or more information booths, blood pressure taken, fudge sale, Chinese auction tables, picnic lunch, door prizes, giveaways, featured speaker, etc.

Saturday, June 22

Bethel Rotary Club Auction. Those who have items to donate and need them picked up, please contact Rotarian Al Barth at 824-2931.

Monday, June 24

Bethel Rotary Golf Challenge. 18-hole four-ball scramble format at the Bethel Inn and Country Club. Do not need to know how to play golf to participate in this fun-filled event. Registration begins at noon with a 1 p.m. shotgun start. For more information, call 824-4500.

Support Services

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

Alcohol/Drug Treatment

Gateway Recovery Services—Outpatient counseling services available at Bethel Family Health Center, Mondays and Wednesdays. For info. call 207-743-7580.

Diabetes Support Group

The **Diabetes Support Group** meets on the third Wednesday of each month. The meeting is held from 6:30-7:30pm in the Harper Conference Center in the Ripley Medical Building. All are welcome to attend. For more information, please contact Betty Sirois at 743-5933.

Exchanges

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Thursday 4 to 6 p.m. and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

Mental Illness Support Group

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional or physical illness, provides support, relaxation and socialization. Monday, 1 to 5 p.m.; Tuesday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Thursday, 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Friday, 2 p.m. to 7 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, call 364-3549 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays or (800) 335-9999 off hours. 928-3222.

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

Veterans' Services
(State/VA Benefits)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday. location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15 p.m. Tel. 392-4841. (new members welcome)

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m. -1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 1-5 p.m.; Saturday, 9-1 p.m. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11 a.m. October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

Cresent Park Elementary School: Open every Thursday evening from 6p.m. to 8p.m. to the Public.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday & Thursday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday 12 p.m. and 4 p.m.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m. 674-2004.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story

Upton Library: Saturdays 9a.m. - 11a.m

Monthly Meetings

First Sunday: Bethel Snow Twisters Club meets at Clayton Crockett's at 7 p.m. September through April.

Greenstock Snow Sports Snowmobile Club meets at the Greenwood Town Office at 9 a.m.

Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club meeting at Newry Town Office.

Second Sunday: Western Maine Mountain Trail Mixers ATV Club meets at 6:30pm at Sun Valley Sports, 129 Sunday River Road, Bethel. New members welcome.

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

Bethel Freedom Group AA meeting, 6 to 7 p.m. ST/BB at Bethel Fire Station.

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Newry Fire Department monthly meetings: first Monday, 7 p.m., at Sunday River Station; third Monday, 7 p.m., Bear River Station.

Franklin Grange #124, 7:00p.m., call 674-3046 or 674-3962 for more info.

Greenwood Planning Board meets at Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17.

Ellis River Riders meet at Andover Fire Station, 7 p.m.

Third Monday: Greenwood Comprehensive Planning Committee meets at town office. 7p.m.

Second and Fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for place.

Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Every Monday: Mahoosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church (downstairs).

First Tuesday: Upton selectmen meet at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Western Maine Knitters Guild meets at Christ Church, Norway, 10 a.m. to noon.

First and Third Tuesday: The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMI-CAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

Bethel Area Promise Keepers, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

FACTS (Family/Friends And Consumers Together for Support) 6:30-8 p.m. at Ethel Bisbee Adult Learning Center. Contact Rhonda at 824-3076.

Greenwood selectmen meet at Town Office, 5 p.m.

Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

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Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

Telstar Alumni Association meets in the guidance conference room.

Ladies' Bible Fellowship, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

Second and Fourth Tuesday: The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Rebel Family Restaurant, West Bethel at 6:30pm.

Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 7 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

CrossCountry Quilters will meet at the Robinson House or Bethel Library from 9 to 11am except the last Tuesday of each month the meeting will be from 7 to 9pm.

Cub Scout Pack 566 meeting, 6 p.m., at Crescent Park School Cafeteria.

Mollyockett Chorus practice, 6:30-9 p.m. at Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Skeetfield Rd., Oxford (Call 824-2468 for info).

First Wednesday: Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church. Potluck luncheon.

The Ash-Risely Detachment of the Marine Corps League meets at 6:30pm at the VFW Post #2520, Berlin, NH. All current marines and former Marines are welcome to attend. For more information, please call (603) 237-9395 or (603) 752-3042.

Second Wednesday: Gilead selectmen meet at Town Office, 7 p.m. Tax collector also holds hours.

Friends of the West Paris Library, 6:30 p.m. (new members welcome)

Oxford County Deomerats. Contact: Cathy Newell at 875-2116.

First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Fourth Wednesday: Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, H.F. Richardson Tent #19, East Stoneham, K of P Hall, 7 p.m. For more info. call 928- 2611.

Women's Fellowship, West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, Bethel, 9:30 a.m.

Jefferson Chapter, 89, OES, Bryant Pond, 6:30 p.m.; refreshments, 7:30 meeting. (Except July and Aug.)

Last Wednesday of Sept., Nov., Jan., March and May: Crescent Park School PTA, 6:30-8 p.m. Babysitting provided.

Every Wednesday: TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 5:45-7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

The Harmony Singers, a new Bethel community chorus, rehearses from 7:00 to 8:30 pm Wednesday evenings at 196 Intervale Road. This group welcomes singers of all ages and abilities. Join us on Wednesday evenings or send inquiries to jilln@ctel.net or call 824-8721.

First Thursday: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

Bethel Recreation Board meeting, 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at Bethel Alliance Church, 7:30 a.m.

Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Lodge #97, AF & AM.

A book discussion group at Whitman Memorial Library at 10:00am starting October 11.

First and Third Thursday: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

West Paris Grange #298, 7:30pm. Call 674-3962 or 674-3046

Fourth Thursday: Bethel Area Poets Society Reading, 7 to 9 p.m. Call 824-3427 for more info.

Every Thursday: Andover Water District Board of Directors meets at 7 p.m.

West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 6:30 p.m.

Middle and High School Youth Groups, 6:30 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

MS self-help group at the West Parish Congregational Church next to Gould Academy. Call Gale Tout at 836-2900 for more information. 1-2:30 p.m.

Third Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

State Line Snowmobile Club Monthly meetings held at John Thriault's house on East B Hill Road, Upton.

Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

First Saturday: Western Maine Mountain Jeepers meet at 7 p.m. at Bethel Fire Station.

St. Andrews Society meeting, 10 a.m., Harvest House, Lisbon (business meeting with lunch).

Second Saturday: Woodstock Historical Society meets at 7 p.m. in historical society museum. Open to public.

Last Saturday: Upton Planning Board meets at 9 a.m. at the Town Office.

Seasonal only: Every Saturday : Bethel Farmers' Market, Bethel Area Health Center parking lot, 9 a.m. - 12 noon. Locally grown produce and local goods.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office, mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444. The deadline is Monday noon.

Church Services

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Bethel Alliance Church— Rev. Rick Mowery, 10:00 a.m. worship. Sunday School at 9:00 a.m. Evening fellowship and youth ministries 6:00pm, Sundays. Prayer fellowship 7:00 p.m. Wednesdays.

Church of the Nazarene—Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school (2 hours, including recreation activities; call 824-4028 for transportation). 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 for more info.

West Parish Congregational—Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, 10:30 a.m. worship. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tues., 8 a.m.

Our Lady of the Snows— Mass—Saturday, 4:30 p.m. Pastor Father Maurice Lebel 743-2606.

United Methodist—Rev. Walter Brown, Pastor, 10 a.m. Sunday worship. Rainbow Church School, 3-5 p.m. Thursdays (all ages welcome).

West Bethel Union—Rev. John Williams, 9 a.m. worship and church school. For info. call 836-2844 or 836-2882.

Pleasant Valley Bible—Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. 836-2828.

Episcopal House Church— May services will be the second Sunday of the month at 4pm at the Bohr home on 38 Chapman Street. For more information, call 824-2913.

Church of Christ—at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

Mahoosuc Mountain Friends—a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers)—Sunday 9:30 a.m. at 558 E. Bethel Rd. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Marie Hickey (875-2257) for more info.

Worldwide Church of God—10:30 a.m. first, second third (and fifth) Saturday each month. Services held in the dining hall of the West Parish Congregational Church. Contact: George Weber, 892-0779

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Bryant Pond Baptist—Rev. Peter Laitres, Sundays: Sunday School 9:15am; Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15am; Morning Worship 10:30am; Choir Practice 4:45pm; Evening Preaching Service 6:00pm. Wednesdays: Patch the Pirate Club 6:30pm; Prayer Meeting and Bible Study 6:30pm.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist—Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock)—Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

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Andover

First Congregational Church—Pastor Jane Rich. Starting on June 2, mornig worship will begin at 9:00am through the summer. Winter hours will resume in September. The Giving Garden will continue to meet on Mondays at 3pm.

Calvary Congregational Church— Pastor John O'Keefe. Winter hours: Sunday School 9:30am. Sunday AM worship 10:45am, Sunday PM praise 6:30pm, Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:45pm, Thursday Men's Discipleship 7:00pm, Friday Awana clubs: Sparks 3:30-5:00, Big 4 Clubs 6-8 pm. Contact church for schedule of Ladies Discipleship and bible study groups. Route 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

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Assembly of God—Pastor Paul Levigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible study 7 p.m. (603-466-2851).

Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union—Rev. Deborah M. Jenks. Beginning Sunday, April 14, worship will be held at 10:00am instead of 9:00am.

East Stoneham

Oxford County United Parish— Rev. George Frobig, 10 a.m. worship; Sunday School 10:00am at North Waterford Church through winter months.

Newry

Newry Community Church—Sunday worship service, 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April)

Albany

Congregational Church—Hunt's Corner, 9:30 a.m Sunday worship and Sunday School; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the church.

Norway/Paris

Christian Science Society (9 Stevens St.)— Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church— Route 117N, S. Paris, Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday Morning Service 9 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after.

North Paris Federation— Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service: 8 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers)—Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., Children's program, 9:40 a.m at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris. Call 583-2780 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church—35 Paris St. Sunday services at 8 and 10 am; Wednesdays at 9.30 am. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information.

Rumford Center

Praise Assembly of God— Pastor James Michaels. Sunday School 9:00am, Sunday worship service at 10:00am. Sunday prayer meeting at 6:00pm. Wednesday night bible study at 7:00pm. East Andover Rd. For more information, call 364-3856.

Rumford Point

Rumford Point Church— Sunday service, Sunday School, 8:30 a.m. Rev. Deborah Jenks.

West Paris

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris—UU Rev. Joy Gasta, 9 a.m. worship (Sept -mid-June). 674-2365.

West Paris Baptist—Sunday Worship 9 a.m., Bruce Tyner, PastorAdult Education and Sunday School 10:15 a.m., Sunday evening worship with Bible reading 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday evening prayer meeting and Bible study, 7 p.m. (First Sunday of each month, Singspiration alternating between North Paris Federated and West Paris Baptist).

West Paris Congregational Church— Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.; Sunday School 10 a.m.

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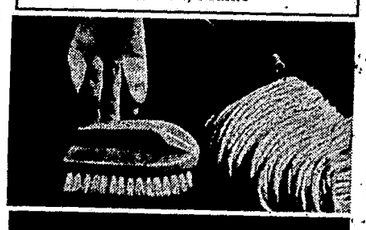

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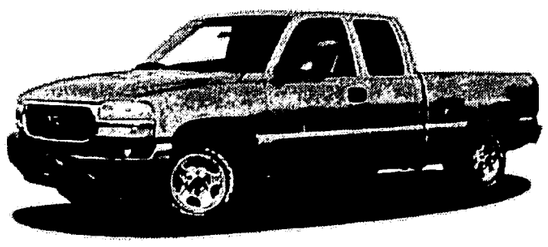

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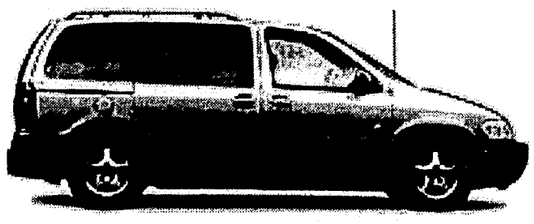

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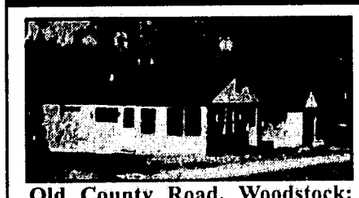

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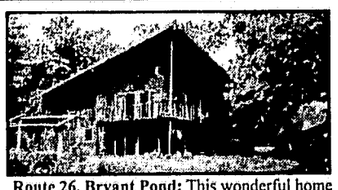

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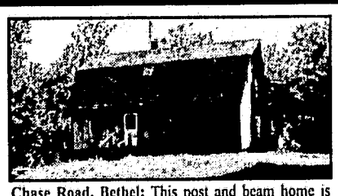

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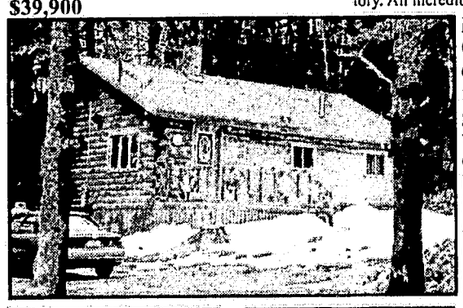

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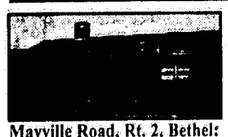
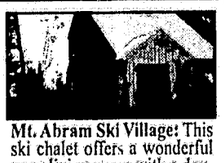
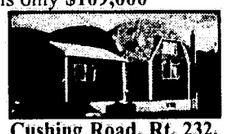


Mayville Road, Rt. 2, Bethel: This ranch style house is just on the outskirts of Bethel Village. It is very convenient to Sunday River Ski Resort and Mt. Abram. It has 3 bedrooms, bath with jacuzzi and partially finished basement. Lots of natural wood paneling and cabinetry. **$169,000**



Mt. Abram Ski Village: This ski chalet offers a wonderful open living space with a double sided fireplace, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath with jacuzzi. You can walk to the slopes of Mt. Abram or take just a short drive to Sunday River. Act now on this reasonably priced offer. **$109,000**



Cushing Road, Rt. 232, Bethel: This great little dome house sits on 1.6 acres and has 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, kitchen and dining area. It also has a full basement and two heating sources, wood and oil. **$74,900**

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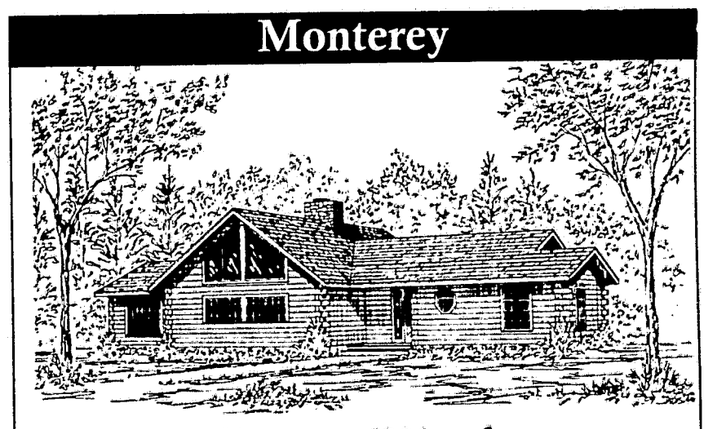
Monterey



Monterey • 1906 sq. ft.

Three bedrooms with ample closet space, plus a master bedroom suite are just a few of the amenities of the MONTEREY. What really sets this home apart is the division of the large living room area from the kitchen and dining room by a massive fireplace. You can also enjoy the sun and moonlight through the gable ends of fixed glass.

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LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION: Situated overlooking the Paris Hill Golf Course, this lovely older home with formal LR, DR, Kit w/birdseye maple cabinets, 5 BRs & 1¼ baths, has been updated while maintaining the charm of yesteryear. There's a pretty yard with inground pool, 2 car garage & more. **$224,900**

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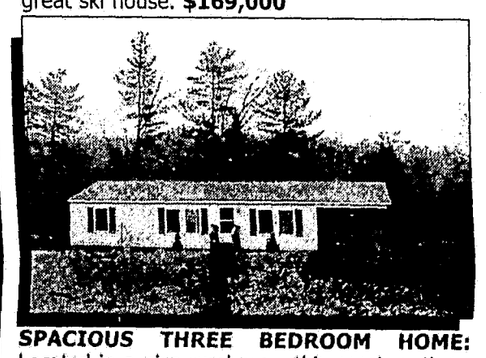
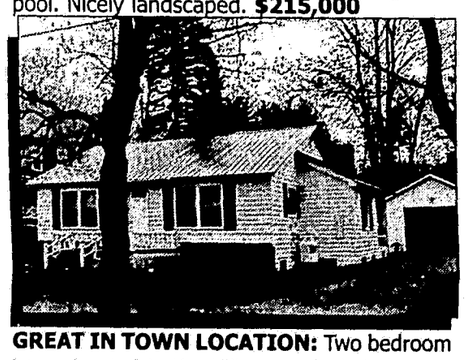


SPACIOUS THREE BEDROOM HOME: Located in a nice rural area, this spacious three bedroom, two bath (one w/large jetted tub) home is bright and sunny. Attractively landscaped yard, beautiful mountain views. Covered porch, sun room, skylights. **$115,000**



GREAT IN TOWN LOCATION: Two bedroom home located in the Village of Bethel close to all amenities. Well maintained one level of living space. Separate one car garage, oversized deck, nicely landscaped. **$93,500**

Historic Queen Anne Style, ca 1813, 1881: This prominent Bethel landmark is a one of a kind set on 5+/- acres of prime real estate enroute to Sunday River Ski Resort. The eighteen rooms with a spacious floor plan and third floor expansion possibilities make it ideal for a large family, B&B or other commercial venture. Impressive cross gabled barn. This gracious home, one of Bethel's most admired is offered at **$379,000**

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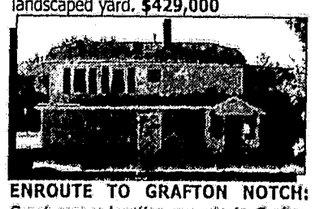
STUNNING LAKE CHRISTOPHER WATERFRONT: One-of-a-kind year round waterfront on pristine Lake Christopher in Bryant Pond. This exceptionally well-built home was constructed in 1997/98 and is only 25' from the shore! Featuring over 500 feet of private shore frontage with beautiful views. Wonderful floor open plan with 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, hardwood floors, Rumford fireplace and a daylight basement for expansion. A dream come true! **$439,900**

CONVENIENT CONTEMPORARY HOME: Located close to the Village, yet on a nice secluded lot on Paradise Road, this spacious five bedroom home has many fine details. Formal dining room and living room with fireplace, sun room overlooking an above ground pool. Three car oversized garage. Farm pond, nicely landscaped yard. **$429,000**

HISTORIC COUNTRY CAPE: Circa 1830's homestead offers country living with the convenience of being only a short distance to the Village. Four bedrooms, two full baths, formal dining room, living room with fireplace. Separate harness shop that has been renovated into an adorable rental cabin. Large post & beam barn. **Offered at $185,000**

NEWLY REMODELED HOME WITH MTN VIEWS: This property has been recently renovated and a must see! Great floor plan with three spacious bedrooms. Located in Albany Township, approximately 10 minutes from Bethel. This home is a must see! **$119,000**



ENROUTE TO GRAFTON NOTCH: Great corner location enroute to Grafton Notch. Formerly a restaurant/convenience store with two gas pumps and above ground tanks (recently passed by DEP) Second floor apt., 2 rental cabins plus 4 older, unusable cabins on the edge of Bear River. **$179,000**

SKI GET-AWAY: This five bedroom home is only a four-minute walk from the slope. Ideal for vacation or year round use offering three levels of living space, three baths, huge sunlit living room with wood stove opens into a wonderful eat-in kitchen with tile and hardwood floors. Perfect home for entertaining and overnight guests. **Great price - $279,000**

VIKING VILLAGE AT SUNDAY RIVER: Located on a prime lot at the base of Sunday River Ski Resort, this property features a beautiful stone fireplace, newly remodeled kitchen with maple cabinets, four bedrooms, deck, fully furnished. Great rental history. **$179,000**

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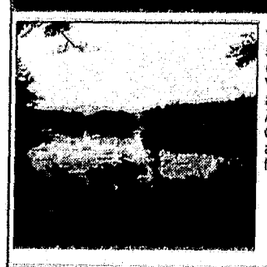

WILSON'S RIPPS SUBDIVISION: Premier subdivision located just a short distance from the Village, yet Secluded. Choice lots along the banks of the Androscoggin River and Chapman Brook. All lots have access to the river, ranging in size from 1.8 acres to 3.9 acres.

Lot #1 - $30,000
Lot# 3 - $35,000
Lot #4 - $30,000
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Summit Hotel: Quarter share unit 240C, studio, great amenities.....$12,900
Pleasant River: 2 BR/1bath 15 min. to SR.....Under Contract
Riverbend: 1 bedroom, fully furnished post & beam.....$58,900
Whitecap: 1 BR/1 bath furnished on mtn.....A207 -$56,900; B312 - $56,900
North Peak: 2 BR/1 bath, furnished, fireplace.....NI - 107 $81,000
Eden Ridge: 4F – Affordable 2 bedrm/ 1 ¾ bath furnished unit **SOLD**; 1C – Attractive 2 bedrm/ 1 ½ bath furnished unit. **$94,900**; 5C – Well maintained 2 bedrm / 1 ¾ bath furnished unit. **$97,500**; 6C – Premium 2 bedrm,/ 1 ¾ bath newly carpeted unit. **$99,999**; 6F – Outsatnding 3 bedrm, 1 ¾ bath, freshly painted unit. **SOLD**; 2F – Great location. 2 bedrm, 1 ¾ bath end unit, furnished.....$110,000
Chamberlain: 1st floor 2 BR/1 bath furnished unit #11 – **SOLD**; 3rd floor 2 BR/1 bath furnished unit #B31 **$63,900**; 2nd floor 2BR/1 bath furnished.....#B22 $59,900
Sunday River Estates: 3BR/2 bath conveniently loc. enroute to skiing.....UNDER CONTRACT
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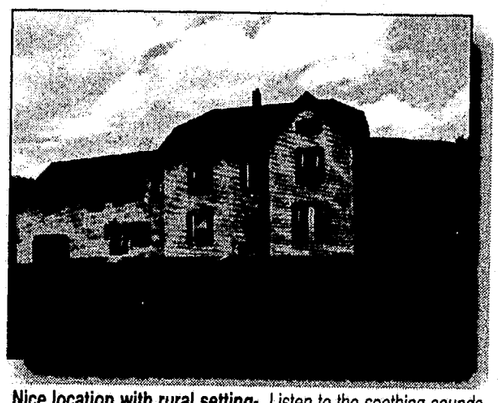
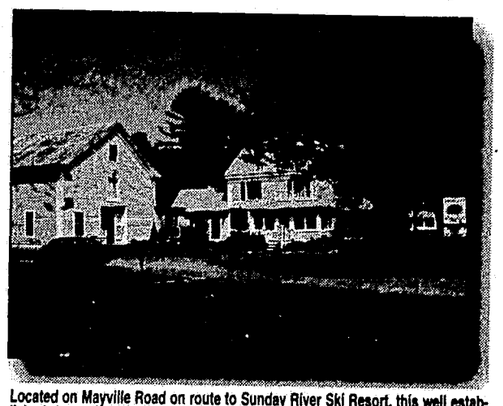
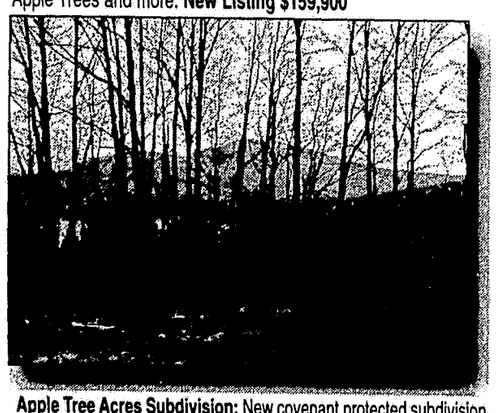


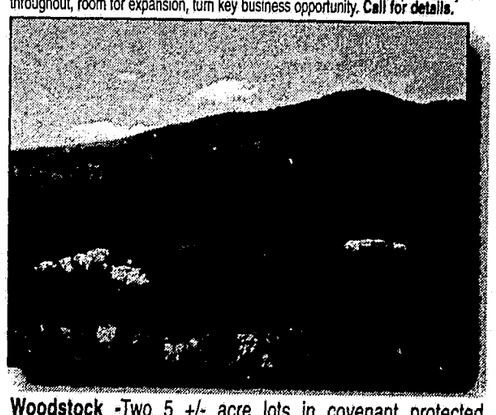
Nice location with rural setting- Listen to the soothing sounds of Peabody Brook and multitudes of songbirds from a recently renovated 4 bedroom farm house. This home offers hardwood floors, high ceilings, 2 ½ baths and well landscaped yard with Apple Trees and more. **New Listing $159,900**



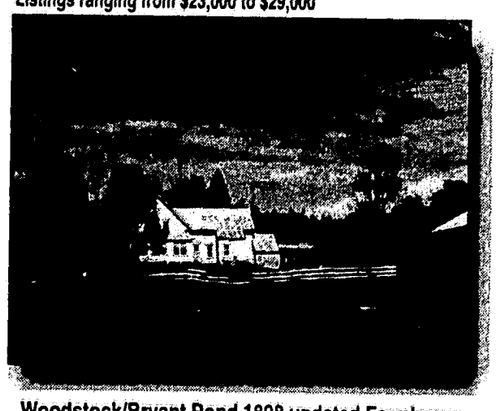
Located on Mayville Road on route to Sunday River Ski Resort, this well established three diamond rated, Year-round Restaurant & Inn featuring: 6 tastefully decorated rooms with phone ,cable TV, each with private baths, 4 beautifully decorated dining rooms and service bar to seat 45 customers, fully equipped immaculate kitchen and dish room, parking for 20 plus cars, newly renovated innkeeper apartment situated in barn, central air conditioning to all rooms in main Inn, sprinkler system throughout, room for expansion, turn key business opportunity. **Call for details.**



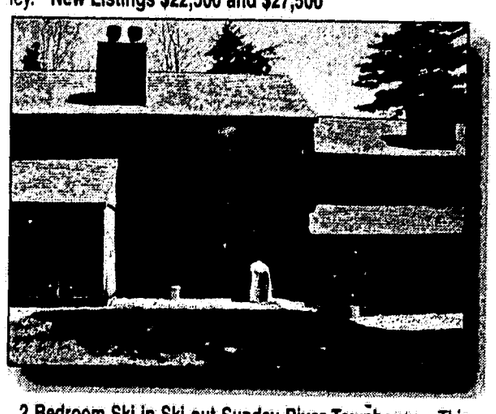
Apple Tree Acres Subdivision: New covenant protected subdivision on Gore Road, Woodstock. One 4.5 acre lot with picturesque view down the length of North Pond at Mt. Abram. Two 5+/- acre lots with combination of fields, woods and great views. Two 4.5 acre wooded lots with great slope and views on Moody Mountain Road. **New Listings ranging from $23,000 to $29,000**



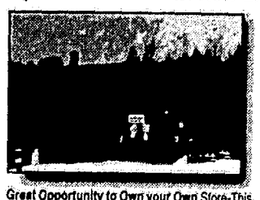
Woodstock -Two 5 +/- acre lots in covenant protected Meadowlark Valley Subdivision, located on Gore Road, near Rt. 232. Set your home amongst the junipers and boulders and gaze at the panoramic views of surrounding mountains and valley. **New Listings $22,500 and $27,500**



Woodstock/Bryant Pond 1898 updated Farmhouse- Large Barn, Black Brook crosses the 55 acres of beautiful fields and meadows. A farm pond completes the quaint setting. 1700+/- ' road frontage on Rt. 26 plus a farm road allows for access to five different fields for potential house lots. **New Listing $137,000**

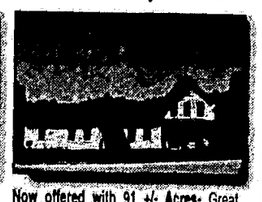


2 Bedroom Ski in Ski out Sunday River Townhouse - This newly painted unit is in excellent condition. Lookout at the slopes and relax by the fireplace in your two level unit. No need to get into a car, just walk out your door and ski to the slopes. What more can you ask for! **New Listing $129,900**

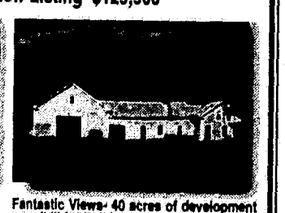


Great Opportunity to Own your Own Store-This is a perfect spot for a store. Located on Rt. 2 , at the end of Rt. 113 and close to the Wild River this location needs a store. Snowmobile trail leads right to parking lot. Plenty of tourist, fishing, traffic, 3 camp grounds close by, 12 miles to Gorham, NH. in between Wild Cat and Sunday River Ski. Make your dreams come true. **$69,900**

Sumner - This home is located in a great setting. Fields, woods & Brook could be yours. 3BR,1½Bs 2acres. Must See! **$87,900**



Now offered with 91 +/- Acres- Great Potential-This wonderful old Farmhouse is located on 91 +/- acres of great land. Plenty of possibilities are yours once you acquire this great opportunity. Nice views-all this for **$200,000**



Fantastic Views- 40 acres of development possibilities. This is a gorgeous place to live. Great views. 175' feet of water frontage on Pleasant River. Enjoy the outdoors all year round. If you are looking to develop an area this is it. About 10 miles from Sunday River, snowmobile trails, fishing, hiking and much more can be had. **$189,900**

Woodstock Farm- 15 Acres, cozy 2 or 3 bedroom home . A big fantastic well maintained barn with three stories and copula. Nice Views. **$150,000**

Andover With Brook Frontage- New carpet replacement windows, excellent condition this 2 bedroom mobile sits on 5+/- acres. 900' of frontage on Lovejoy Brook. Quiet out of village lot. **Great getaway. $43,900**

Bryant Pond-Excellent Opportunity- This 3 bedroom home comes with two small apartments, two saunas with changing rooms and laundry room .Nice setting on 3 acres of fields and Woods. **$99,000**

Nice Older Home with Plenty of Bedrooms-This home offers views of Mt. Abram. Nice rooms with plenty of light. New furnace, new insulated windows, new four season porch all add to this homes appeal. **Listed for $99,500**

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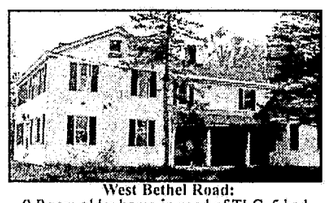

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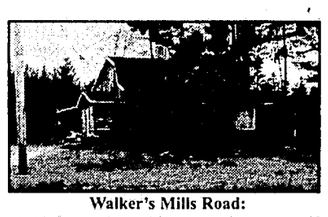

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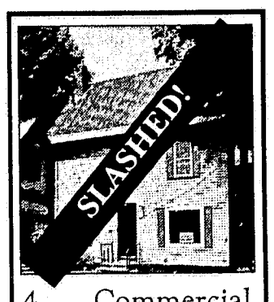

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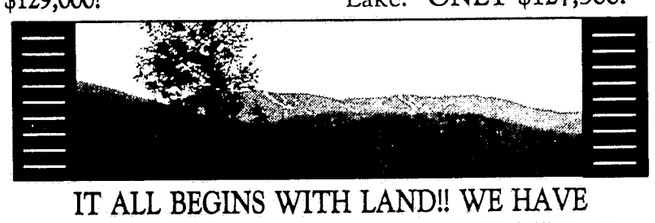

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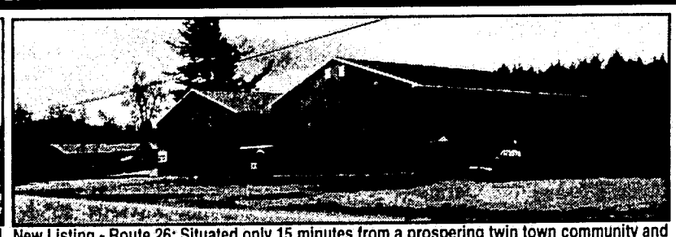
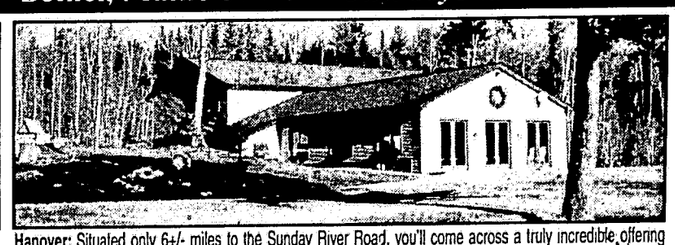


New Listing - Route 26: Situated only 15 minutes from a prospering twin town community and en route to Sunday River Ski Resort & yr rnd rec areas, the Prominent Visibility of this 12,088+/- s.f. comm/office/apt building on 9.7+/- ac is EXCEPTIONAL! An ideal site for a myriad of businesses, incl. but not limited to: a construction or logging company, lumber yard, equipment sales, car sales, truck garage, retail and/or dining establishment... Offering 988+/-' of prime Route 26 rd frntge, it was part. constructed in 1966, predominantly constructed in 1997. Massive in size, the structure houses 6 Offices, a Parts Rm, Five 20x40 Bays + One 20x80 Truck Wash Bay, 3 Baths & 3 BR Apt serving as convenient owners' quarters or as a valuable source for add. monthly rev. **Located Next To A Landmark Motel, This Uniquely Versatile Offering Awaits Your Entrepreneurial Spirit! $435,000**



Hanover: Situated only 6+/- miles to the Sunday River Road, you'll come across a truly incredible offering which will delight even the most discriminating of home buyers! Approached by a sprawling green lawn edged w/soft & hardwood cover & enhanced w/expansive mt. vistas, find a delightful private pond replete w/covered bridge & nearby putting green - A remarkable setting, only fitting for this very special 1998 Contemporary. Impressively constructed w/innovative floor plan inclusive of a Great Room, master suite, 3 Baths, sumptuous FR w/Tavern, indoor pool & hot tub room & sauna to entertain the largest of clans. Offered on 10+/- acres w/abundant add. acreage available, to suit the most diverse needs of its next fortunate owner. $399,000.

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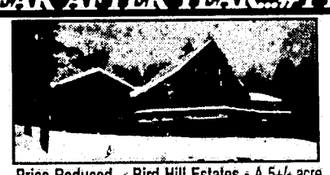
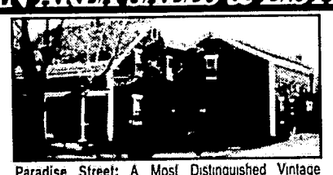
The Philbrook Place on Main Street: Entrepreneurs Take Note... The Finest Italianate Property in Bethel is Now Being Offered For Sale! Located opposite the Sudbury Inn, it represents one of the most important examples of vintage architecture in Oxford County. Circa 1879, restored & renovated to date, its distinctive residence w/2-story ell & massive barn totals aprox 9,500 sq. ft. of living/retail space. Currently showcasing 8 retail/service units, 2 apartments, 21+ parking spaces, public utilities. **What A Wonderful Place To Realize Your Dreams! $695,000**

Flat Road, Bethel: A coveted new Contemporary alive with beautiful westerly sunsets & remarkable mt. views enjoyed through a multitude of windows, sliders & glass doors. A very accommodating flr. plan consisting of a Great Room w/high ceilings & exposed wooden beams, sparkling wood & ceramic firing, offset by a tasteful color scheme. 4 BRs & loft & 4 Baths constitute the ideal primary, ski or rental property in a most idyllic setting. **Only $145,900**



Price Reduced - Bird Hill Estates - A 5+/- acre setting w/Presidential mt. range vistas - what a fitting backdrop for this remarkable contemporary. A Great Rm w/Prow Front Wall hosts an array of windows & glass doors allowing Nature to dazzle its occupants. 4 BRs, 3.5 Baths inclusive of master suite, guest suite, FR w/woodstove, massive stone fireplace, screened porch, wraparound deck. **A Dream Home Indeed! ~~$349,900~~ $324,900**



Paradise Street: A Most Distinguished Vintage Farmhome, circa 1905, loc in the midst of Bethel Village boasts an exquisite ext, handsome color scheme and surrounded by stinking manicured grounds consisting of 1.8+/- ac. With walk to Village loc and an incredible inground pool with unique "lanai" rm, you'll love to spend time outdoors. Its rambling int is delightful with surprise nooks and crannies and endless rm variations 3 BRs, 2 Baths, endearing lg Country Kit, DR, LR, FR and an oversized unfinished attic you may customize to suit your needs. **Move-In, Mint Condition at Only $299,000!**

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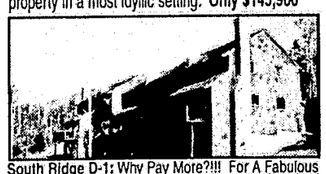
New Listing: Sunday River Village: Situated in the most requested of upper end ski village locales, on a 1+/- acre parcel, gleaming with southern exposure and enveloped in spectacular mt. vistas laden with SR Trails, find this adorable 4BR, 3 bath chalet. Enriched with a warm pine interior, a multitude of windows, private master quarters, FR & 2 woodstoves, this exceptional property is within walking distance to ski lifts and trails. $399,000

Main Street, Bethel Village: A vintage village property meticulously restored to yesteryear's stately beauty... Four 1st flr office spaces w/handpainted flr & wall borders; upper level 5rm apt w/adj barn loft. A 19th century dwelling w/many new improvements – custom kit w/new maple cabinets, new appliances & artistic one of a kind flr, new heating system, new 200amp service, new plumbing, 2 new baths... Sit on a prominent Main St. lot, come live in the apt or rent out for great pot. rental rev. $199,000



South Ridge D-1: Why Pay More?!!! For A Fabulous Sunday River Skiway Townhouse with unparalleled ski trail access...This tri-level 3 Bedroom corner Dwelling is in exceptional condition and renovated extensively throughout. An eye-catching kitchen affords larger living space throughout its Great Room w/fireplace & sunny deck area sporting awesome mt. & trail views. Upper level master & guest BRs w/full bath - lower level FR/BR w/woodstove, full bath & sep. access. **A Must See w/Many Extras at Only $259,000!**

New Listing - Intervale Road, Bethel: A Jewel of a Home, compact yet spacious, on an easily accessible yet private setting offered at an oh-so-affordable price....Picture a striking Great Room w/an expanse of glass from flr. to ceiling allowing natural sunlite to flood within. Add to this Vermont Casting Stove on a cobblestone hearth, 3 BRs, 2 Full Baths, inclusive of a master suite, full daylite basement, decks, balcony & extensive furn. list. On 2.14+/- acres w/add. acreage available. **Only $129,000!**

Will View Subdivision build to suit - Brand new Chalets, Contemporaries, Salt boxes...to be constructed in beautifully scenic neighborhood only 5 minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort. Situated amidst aromatic pines and graceful white Birch and offering soothing surroundings. What a perfect place to call Home! **House plans from $99,900**

Route 2: A manageably sized cape circa 1930 with numerous improvements inclusive of a new sunny FR w/pine walls & ceilings, updated & open kit w/woodstove, comfortable LR, 3 BRs, full bath & 2 car garage. Sit on 1+/- slightly rolling acre w/pretty mountain views & good visibility for home occupation. An ideal vacation primary or commercial dwelling. $72,900

LEADING THE AREA IN $ VOLUME AND UNIT VOLUME FOR 1999 - PRESENT; 2000 - PRESENT; 2001 - PRESENT!*

Sunday River Village $359,000

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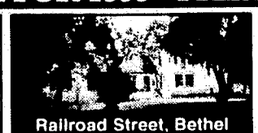
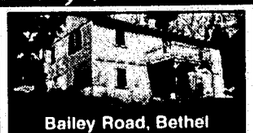
East "B" Hill Road, Upton $185,000

Bethel $169,000

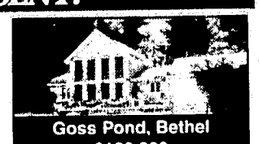


Railroad Street, Bethel $165,000



Bailey Road, Bethel $108,000

In Town Bethel $139,000



Goss Pond, Bethel $180,000

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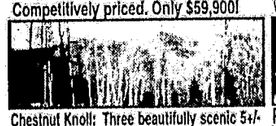

Chestnut Knoll: Three beautifully scenic 5+/- acre lots in sought after established neighborhood. Vista views, lovely foliage. Lot #3 $23,700; Lot #2 $29,000; Lot #13 $34,900

Pine Bluff: Brand new subdivision boasting spectacular parcels ranging from 5 acres to 6.8+/- acres with choice lots available. From $23,900

SUNDAY RIVER SKI-IN/SKI-OUT CONDOS		
MERRILL BROOK		
Unit 2H	2 Bdrm/1.75 Bath	SOLD
BROOKSIDE BUILDING I		
I-A-202	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$87,500
I-B-404	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$87,900
I-A-403	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$89,900
I-B 202	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$90,900
I-B-206	2 Bdrm/1Bath	U/C
I-B-307	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-A-402	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-B-407	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
BROOKSIDE BUILDING II		
II-B-201	Studio/1 Bath	$42,900
II-A-208	Studio/1 Bath	$46,900
II-B-105	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$55,000
II-A-311	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$55,000
II-A-103	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$57,900
II-B-107	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$57,900
II-B-303	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$58,000
II-A-316	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$62,900
II-A-216	Studio/1 Bath	U/C
II-A-108	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-A-202	Studio/1 Bath	SOLD
II-A-313	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-A-308	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-B-310	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-A-107	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD

CASCADES		
B-1	Studio/1 Bath	$40,000
B-23	Studio/1 Bath	$45,500
B-6	Studio/1 Bath	$46,900
B-24	Studio/1 Bath	$50,000
B-25	Studio/1 Bath	$53,000
A-23	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$59,900
C-7	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$59,900
A-4	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-14	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
LOCKE MOUNTAIN		
A-3	4 Bdrm/3 Bath	SOLD
L-3	3 Bdrm/3 Bath	SOLD
FALL LINE		
E-116	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$49,000
N-202	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$49,900
N-107	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$52,900
W-109	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$53,000
N-110	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$54,500
W-115	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$54,500
N-207	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$56,900
W-203	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$57,900
S-102	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$57,900
N-212	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$59,900
S-206	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$59,900
E-107	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
W-106	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
W-209	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
W-215	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD

S-117	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
W-217	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
N-217	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
E-211	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
S-214	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
S-103	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
SOUTHRIDGE		
I-4	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$132,900
L-1	4 Bdrm/2 Bath	$209,000
D-1	3 Bdrm/2 Bath	$259,000
B-6	3 Bdrm	SOLD
I-1	3 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
J-4	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
SUNRISE		
C-128	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$59,900
A-111	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-114	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-105	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
C-129	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
NORTHPEAK		
I-211	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$84,900
III-301	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-302	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-202	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
III-206	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-312	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
III-211	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
III-107	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-203	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD

WHITE CAP		
B-218	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$59,900
A-407	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-205	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-201	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
B-214	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
LUXURIOUS TOWNHOMES		
RIVERBEND		
#12	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$75,000
#5	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
#34	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
CARRIAGE HOUSE		
#2	2 Bdrm/1½ Bath	SOLD
#4	1 Bdrm + Loft	$86,900
#1	1+ Loft/1 Bath	$89,900
#8	2 Bdrm/1½ Bath	SOLD
BETHEL INN/ MILLBROOK TOWNHOMES		
#500	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
#574	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
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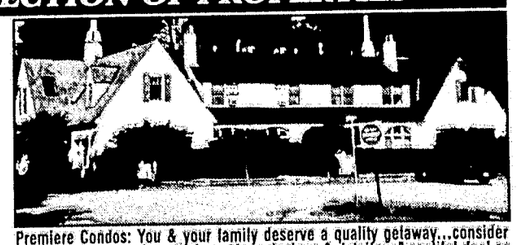
EDEN RIDGE		
#6-E	2 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	$89,000
#3-F	2 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	SOLD
#6-D	2 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	SOLD
#6-H	2 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	SOLD
LAKE CHRISTOPHER		
#1A	2 Bdrm, 1 Bath	SOLD



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Obituaries

ANNIE T. CROCKETT

Annie T. Crockett, 93, of Bryant Pond, died Saturday morning, May 18, 2002 at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway.

She was born in New Gloucester on Nov. 17, 1908, a daughter of Albert D. and Mabel (Garcelon) True. She was educated in New Gloucester schools and graduated fourth in her class in 1926. She attended Nasson College and obtained a business teaching certificate from the Auburn Maine School of Commerce. After working at the Androscoggin Airport business office for two years, she moved to Bryant Pond in 1929. There she taught business subjects for 25 years and was the librarian at the Whitman Memorial Library for four years.

She married railroad telegrapher Robert C. Crockett of Bryant Pond in 1934. They traveled extensively by rail throughout the U.S. and Canada.

She and Bob never had children of their own but they loved young people very much. After Bob's death in 1980, Annie began providing significant financial support, inspiring young people to be all they could be. Whether they were children with severe disabilities, illness or very gifted, Annie always wanted to help.

For years, Annie gave substantial financial aid to organizations like the Maine Handicapped Ski Program and her personal scholarship program for the Telstar Regional High School graduates. For 20 years, she administered the Frederich J. Kinsman Trust Scholarship Program and was president of the Crockett Foundation that she and her husband created to help young Maine people achieve their best. Annie's legacy of generosity and good works will continue through the Crockett Foundation.

She was a member of the Universalist Church, the Woodstock and Bethel Senior Citizens, the Oxford County and Maine Retired Teachers Association and the Extension Group. Annie also enjoyed reading, gardening, sewing patchwork quilts and her love of cats.

She is survived by a cousin, Margaret True Racette of New Gloucester; and many nieces, nephews, caregivers and friends. She was predeceased by three sisters, Alma Tripp, Martha Edson and Eleanor Manley.

A graveside service will be held at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, May 23, at the Crockett Plot at Lakeside Cemetery in Bryant Pond. If desired, donations can be made to either of the churches in Bryant Pond.

CELIA M. LITTLEFIELD

Celia M. Littlefield, 73, of North Waterford, died Monday evening, May 20, 2002 at the Maine Veterans' Home, South Paris.

Born in Norway, May 10, 1929, the daughter of Winfield and Edith Crousse McAllister, she attended school in North Waterford and also attended Gould Academy.

Mrs. Littlefield had been a homemaker, worked at Grover Dowel, was a cook at Stephens Memorial Hospital and Norway Nursing Home and was clerk at the North Waterford Post Office.

She was a member of the Mundt-Allen American Legion Auxiliary in Bethel, the North Waterford Congregational Church and the Oxford Hills Christian Center.

Mrs. Littlefield enjoyed cooking, traveling, hunting, fishing, crafts, quilt making and maintained her own greenhouse. She loved her family and will be missed by them.

On July 25, 1946 she married Alfred Littlefield and he died Sept. 13, 1989.

Survivors include a son, Tim of Norway; two daughters, Bonnie S. Millett and her companion Raymond Varney of Florida, and Patricia and Willie Gaudreau of North Waterford; three grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and three brothers, Lawrence, Erlon and Gene McAllister all of North Waterford. She was predeceased by a brother, Irving McAllister.

Family and friends may attend graveside services Friday, May 24 at 10 a.m. at Hillside Cemetery, East Stoneham. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make memorial gifts in her memory to the Waterford Fire Dept. or the American Cancer Society, New England Division, 1 Main Street, Suite 300, Topsham, ME 04086.

Card of Thanks

The family of Nancy Buck wishes to offer their sincere thanks to all her friends, relatives, and co-workers for their phone calls, cards, flowers, food, and support during the loss of their precious daughter and sister.

Births

John and Deanne Bodemer Rothwell of Bryant Pond are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Lucinda Sarah, born on April 24, 2002 at Rumford Community Hospital, weighing 8 pounds, 12 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Dick and Evelyn Bodemer of Andover.

Paternal grandparents are Bob and Pat Rothwell of Waldo.

Lucinda joins her brothers, Cameron, 4, and Blake, 2 ½.

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Mark and Susan Mallory of Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Jack Thomas, born on April 27, 2002 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 9 pounds, 6 ounces.

Maternal grandparent is Caroline V. Gould of Bethel.

Paternal grandparents are Michael and Diane Mallory of Milton, N.H.

Jack joins sister Samantha, 6.

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James Westleigh and Stephanie Corriveau of Shelburne, N.H., are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Austin James Reginald Westleigh, born on May 1, 2002 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 pounds.

Maternal grandparents are Donna Corriveau of Bethel and James Corriveau of Gilead.

Paternal grandparents are Reginald and Linda Westleigh of West Bethel.

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Rebecca Davis and Justin Paradis of Norway are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Celeste Elita Paradis, born on May 3, 2002 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 6 pounds, 10 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Rick and Mira Davis of South Paris.

Paternal grandparents are David and Susan Paradis of Norway.

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Adam and Alexandra Adler of Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Isabelle Mae, born on May 3, 2002 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 6 pounds, 6 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Proctor and Joan Lippincott of Chappaqua, N.Y.

Paternal grandparents are Gerry and Gill Adler of London, England.

Isabelle joins a sister, Lily Grace, age 3.

Card of Thanks

The family members of Annie Crockett would like to thank her long-term caregivers for the excellent care and wonderful companionship they provided for more than seven years. Our special thanks to: Cecile and Maurice Lescault, Violette Clukey and Annie Westleigh. Nieces: Carolyn Taylor, Mary Maddocks, Patty Maddocks, Kathy Estabrook, and Jenny Doyer. Nephews: Ken, Chris, Mike & Loren Maddocks. Thanks to members of the Crockett Foundation: Rick Liberty, Treasurer, Board of Directors Jim Delameter, Secretary, Board of Directors, Linda Liberty, Personal Representative.

Look who's turning 50!

Weddings

Mr. & Mrs. Jack M. Betz

Debra L. Seames and Jack M. Betz were united in marriage on March 21, 2002 at the Sandals Royal Bahamian Resort and Spa in the Bahamas. The private wedding took place in a white gazebo on the beach of a transparent turquoise Caribbean Sea. Soothing sounds of the surf and soft sea breezes floated through the towering palm trees as island rhythms got the wedding started. Sandals exceeded every expectation the couple had.

The bride is the daughter of Carol J. Verrill of Wiscasset and George R. Westleigh Jr. of West Bethel. The groom is the son of Marion B. Betz of Fort Johnson, N.Y. and the late John G. Betz Jr.

The bride is employed by Intelistaf of Albany as a professional registered nurse. She works through the agency as a critical care nurse for hospitals such as St. Peter's, Albany Memorial, Ellis, St. Clares and St. Mary's of Amsterdam, N.Y.

The groom is president of Betz, Rossi and Bellinger Family Funeral Home, Inc. located in Amsterdam, Jackson & Betz Funeral Home of Fultonville and Lenz & Betz Funeral Home of Canajoharie, N.Y.

Debra, formerly of Sarasota, Fla., now resides with her husband, Jack, in Fultonville, N.Y.

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